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LEGISLATURE PASSES 206 BILLS

OUT OF THE ENTIRE AMOUNT ONLY EIGHTY-NINE HAVE SO FAR BEEN APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR.

THE APPROPRIATIONS REACH \$7,000,000

The Important Measures Awaiting the Governor's Signature are Those Locating Some of the Leading State Institutions.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—The Second Oklahoma legislature, adjourning last week, passed a total of 206 bills, 89 of which have been approved by the governor and 117 are awaiting his consideration. Bills that have only local application are vastly in the majority. The appropriations will reach, it is believed, nearly \$7,000,000 and it is expected that in this direction the executive will do much slashing. To date, however, there have been no votes, neither have there been bills becoming laws without his signature.

The Governor has until March 27, or fifteen days after the legislature adjourns, to approve the measures left with him and no bill becomes effective after adjournment unless it is approved. The emergency clause was attached to comparatively few measures.

The following bills making appropriations have been signed by the governor: Two thousand dollars to pay expenses of the state bond issue; \$80,000 to pay account with Kansas state penitentiary for care of prisoners and cover cost of their removal to Oklahoma; \$71.21 for Milna Johnson for work done for Oklahoma Territory; \$4,000 for fire escapes for the state normal schools; \$100,000 for mileage and per diem of legislature, and \$25,000 salaries of officers and employees; \$40,000 with authorization to state board of agriculture to establish county demonstration farms; \$60,000 for erection and maintenance of district agricultural schools in the Third, Fourth and Fifth Supreme Judicial Districts; \$10,056.98 for furniture purchased for state officers; \$14,000 for expenses and per diem of regents of the state institutions; \$66,975.75 for maintenance of the agricultural schools at Warner and Tishomingo; \$80,000 for state school for the deaf at Sulphur; \$20,000 for Panhandle district agricultural school.

Among the local measures that have been approved are those making court towns of Coweta, Wagoner county; Davis, Murray county; El Dorado, Jackson county, and Prague, Lincoln county.

Laws of General Nature.

Repealing the County High school law; amending drainage act; permitting the state to offer a reward of \$50 for arrest of horse and mule thieves; fixing time for appeals in misdemeanor cases within sixty days, and criminal cases within six months; authorizing religious, charitable and educational institutions to increase the number of their boards of trustees; authorizing domestic building and loan companies to increase their capital stock; penalizing public officers for accepting rebates or interest upon public funds, and appropriating to individual use, otherwise known as the "anti-graft" law; permitting the Governor to call special elections upon initiated or referred measures; and, for repeal of the statute for removal of obstructions in streams.

Among the positions and boards created the bills approved are: Creating office of supreme court reporter, with salary of \$2,000 per year; creating judicial district of Washington and Osage counties; creating a code commission of five members, eight months' work at \$100 per month each; providing for state examination and registration of trained nurses, and creating a board of examiners; perpetuating the criminal court of appeals; fixing salary of the state bank commissioner at \$2,500 per annum and authorizing appointment of eight assistants at \$1,800 per annum each; and repeal of the law authorizing counties to employ experts to audit the books.

Institutions and Miscellaneous Laws.

Institutions created by the legislature, bills covering which have already been approved, were: State penitentiary at McAlester, \$400,000 appropriation; State Reform school at Granite, \$50,000 appropriation; District Panhandle Agricultural school for the counties of Texas, Cimarron and Beaver; normal schools at Durant and Tahlequah, \$25,000 and \$45,000 appropriations, respectively; reform school between Pauls Valley and Wynnewood, \$45,000.

Among the more important laws signed by the governor were: Amendments to the state banking law; making it a felony to give or sell intoxicating liquor to minors, persons of unsound mind, or habitual drunkards; new fish and game law; amendments to tax ferret law, restricting the operation of the ferret from the date of statehood, and reducing commission to 15 per cent; defining procedure for mortgaging or sale of homestead of insane husband or wife; prohibiting the sale of inherited property by minor children who marry before they reach lawful age; law prohibiting child labor; allowing

\$18,700; for new building and maintenance of State School of Mines at Wilburton, \$248,000; making available to state institutions, from school land leases, \$14,191.83; for maintenance of state university, \$285,810.23; to establish institution for feeble-minded at Enid, \$47,000; new building at Edmond Normal school, \$100,000; deficiency appropriation bill, \$443,836.82 establishing normal school at Ada, \$100,000; for other educational institutions, \$208,620, and \$128,652 (two appropriations); State mining board, \$7,000; state bank commissioner, \$37,400; pure food commission, \$25,000; dairy commission, \$10,000; general appropriation bill, \$940,575; geological survey, \$34,650; state board of agriculture, \$129,000; state library, \$18,512; state board of health, \$33,600; A. and M. college, \$90,000; girl's industrial school, Chickasha, \$100,000; eastern insane asylum at Vinita, \$200,000; insane asylum, Fort Supply, \$352,348; state election board \$15,330; codifying and revising laws, \$69,000; board of public affairs, \$35,500; Colored deaf and blind school, \$6,500; state printing, \$151,960; converting other funds to educational institutions, \$14,191.83; colored A. and M. college, \$5,000; Durant Normal school, \$100,000; Claremore preparatory school, \$65,000; 1907 election printing and election supplies, \$16,344; and Panhandle storm sufferers, \$10,000.

Special Bills Not Signed.

Authorizing cities to pension meritorious firemen, money to be paid out of fund created by tax on insurance companies; enlarging scope of state examiner and inspector's office; creating office warrant clerk in state treasurer's office creating additional clerical offices in department of state auditor; creating branch of the free employment bureau, to be maintained in eastern part of the state, appropriating \$2,500; providing for eradication of cattle tick; to prevent the waste of oil and gas; providing for additional clerk hire for county treasurers; requiring cotton ginners to report twice a month to the state department of agriculture; authorizing an additional judge for the third judicial district (Muskogee); amendments to the state mining law; authorizing the Oklahoma national guard to lease a tract of land in Lincoln county for encampment purposes, reducing gross production tax on coal from 2 to one-half of 1 per cent; protection of people in sale of fruit trees; prohibiting the wearing of lodge emblems when wearer is not member, or the incorporation of lodges not allied with the grand organizations; authorizing additional judge for the seventh judicial district; permitting organization of insurance companies to insure cotton gins, and permitting organization of hall insurance companies.

Of Interest to Counties.

The following measures of interest to counties are awaiting the Governor's consideration: Authorizing boards of education to construct two or more school houses in a school district; providing for taking census of the state and gathering agricultural statistics; for the construction of bridges by counties; revising the county weigher's law; authorizing counties to purchase toll bridges; authorizing counties to issue bonds for bridge purposes; amending state drainage act; authorizing county commissioners to pay for reconstruction or repair of bridges destroyed by floods; providing for bonding school districts; authorizing counties to pay for holding county farmers' institutes; authorizing cities to condemn for additions to cemeteries; for restoration of county and other public records that have been destroyed; for election of special judges of districts or counties where regular judge is absent or disqualified.

Bills of local interest remaining unsigned: Holding terms of the county court in Hooker, Texas county; Snyder, Kiowa county; Crowder, Pittsburg county; Blanchard, McClain county; Lexington, Cleveland county; Billings, Noble county; legalizing a school district bond issue in Major county; authorizing the Tulsa county commissioners to purchase certain toll bridges; legalizing the Jordan Valley Townsite Company; authorizing the sale of school land to the city of Kingfisher.

Bills of Chief Importance.

Among the more important measures awaiting the governor's approval

are those locating the institution for the feeble minded at Enid; normal school at Ada; colored deaf, dumb and blind school at Taft; girl's industrial school at Chickasha; Eastern Oklahoma hospital for the insane at Vinita; permanently locating school for the deaf at Sulphur; locating the Eastern University preparatory school at Claremore.

MR. MEIGS WOULD SELL.

A Very Substantial Plumbing Business—A Good Patronage.

Mr. E. P. Meigs, substantial plumbing and tinning dealer and manufacturer affords the information that he will be compelled to either dispose of his plumbing business or else employ an experienced plumber to look after such end of his prospering business.

The reason ascribed by Mr. Meigs is the fact that his failing eyesight makes it impossible for him to personally handle or oversee business of the nature of plumbing.

Mr. Meigs directs the News to state that he will sell the suggested division of his business at cost and carriage. On account of sewerage and water works extension construction in the immediate future, this offer evidently represents a splendid bargain.

Kansas Likes Oklahoma.

"Oklahoma is a good state and if I ever leave Kansas it will be the place where I'll locate, but as yet I have no intention of departing from my home here," says J. D. Kotkin of Winfield, Kan., who was defeated for governor on the democratic ticket last fall, when questioned regarding a rumor that he was considering changing his residence. "I like the new state and like the people," he continued, "but this report that I am to enter the political field there is decidedly erroneous. I intend to stay in Kansas as long as the people let me."

No Court Monday.

The legal fraternity and others generally interested were greatly disappointed today when it was learned that Judge West, of the district court, was ill and could not convene the court here Monday. The docket is quite heavy at this time, but there is nothing to indicate just when the court can be called to meet.

Roddie Insurance Bill Signed.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—Gov. Haskell today signed the Roddie insurance bill, which carries the emergency clause and is now the law.

Try a News "Want Ad."

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The water that made Sulphur famous as a health resort. We are prepared to deliver this water in case lots of six one-gallon bottles each at a very small cost.

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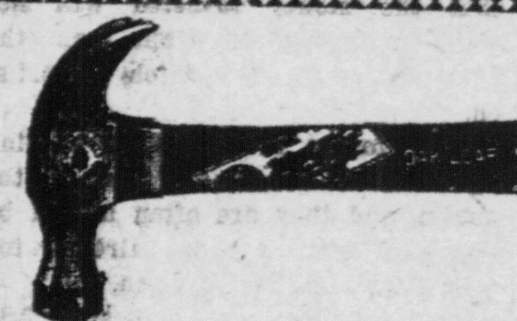
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This morning about 9 o'clock Mr. S. Kinnard, of Fort Worth, Tex., found his wife at Harris' Drug store while looking at, and listening to a thorough explanation of how to operate and appreciate a Success Kitchen Cabinet. Mr. Kinnard was surprised when his wife told him that she had never before seen a Kitchen Cabinet that would catch a lady's eye as the one on exhibition at Harris' drug store on Main street by the Chicago Cabinet Co. Hours 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Governor's Daughter to Wed.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Frances Haskell daughter of Gov. and Mrs. C. N. Haskell, and Major Leslie Gordon Niblack, editor and owner of the Guthrie Daily Leader, which will be celebrated in the executive chambers of the state capital building Wednesday, March 31.

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HASKELL, THE FRIEND OF ADA.

Where it is true that general confidence prevails that Governor Haskell will sign the Ada southern normal bill, not only because of the general righteousness of the legislation, but as well on account of our governor's substantial reputation for consistency and consistency would prompt the approval for it is known that Governor Haskell has throughout the session been a consistent friend to this city in its normal undertaking. As has before been afforded publication the governor stated at the onset of the second legislature that it would be agreeable to him to witness Ada's success and such assertion was received with entire confidence by the Ada people. If possible this confidence was accelerated during and throughout the legislative session for it came to the governor's Ada constituency from time to time that friendliness to this city and support of the desires of the organization of the legislature were maintained with absolute steadfastness.

BANQUET AT PROPER TIME.

It is thought that the determination of the executive officers of the 25,000 Club to delay formal action in the preparation of the celebration and banquet proposed in honor of Honorable Ratliff, Huddleston and Roddie on account of state normal achievement until after the governor had approved the Ada bill, was the proper course, for as a matter of course the leading undertaking of the people of this city will be to secure the presence of Governor Haskell, and it was the committee's judgment that the nicest amenities would not be observed before the governor should on invitation be extended to him ahead of his approval of the bill, notwithstanding the certainty that he would signify his approval of the bill within due and appropriate time.

This city is properly regardful of the propriety of forecasting the governor's action, especially as would obtain in the delivery of himself of an invitation to the banquet and celebration.

Extreme gratification will result if Governor Haskell will come, as the chief guest of honor of this city.

A telephone from Governor Haskell today stated that in the consideration of the numerous bills ground out by the legislature during the last days of its session, before him for final determination, that he was pursuing the plan of awarding first attention to those bills of more general importance and as a whole and as a rule the routine of his scrutiny of the bills would occur in the rela-

tion of their passage. The Ada public will appreciate the just and business method of the governor's consideration of the legislation before him for his approval.

Since the Ada bill was among the last passed carrying an appropriation, it is thought that the governor will not reach the same for final consideration before the earlier part of next week.

A CONVERSATION WITH YOU.

At any time in the history of your business career, whatever that business may be, did you ever feel that you had reached a crisis which you could not surmount without a favorable change in the attitude of the public?

And did you ever feel as though your good intentions were misunderstood and your worthy efforts unappreciated, and that if things did not begin to come your way pretty soon you would be compelled to retreat to the barracks of despondency?

Of course you have, and that's the way the News is feeling just now. There are too many business men in Ada who are not patronizing the News' advertising columns for fear that the money invested will not yield an immediate profit from the sale of the specific article advertised.

They forget the value of keeping their name continually before the public, and they are often misled by the idea that they are already too well known to be forgotten.

There are few enterprises in Ada which were not suggested by the News before their arrival, and there are none to which it has not given every possible aid.

The News is engaged in making a city in which it will be possible for you to increase your business and enhance your exchequer. We have been engaged in this business for five years, as a daily publication, and those who KNOW will admit that we have done our share.

For this reason, if for no other, we believe that a liberal patronage of our advertising columns would be a good investment. However, this is not our argument, for we believe we can show you direct results if you will only give us a chance.

There are very few people left in this world who are not aware of the fact that a daily newspaper is the strongest support that a town can have in a battle for evidence and superiority. Those who are not aware of these things belong to the submerged tenth, and will see the News fight the city's battles single handed, as a matter of course. The time has arrived when the Progressives

must rally to the support of this paper. The growth of the news must be commensurate with the growth of the city, and to make this possible we must have your business. Subscriptions, advertising and job printing is our stock in trade, and we guarantee to give you value received. Do you belong to the submerged tenth, or are you a progressive? Let us have your answer.

Corporation Commission's Order.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—The supreme court has made an order to the corporation commission to certify to the former tribunal the commission's orders placing into effect a number of commodity tariffs from which fourteen Oklahoma railroads have appealed. Under the present rule appeals from the commission's order may be perfected within one year, which is a matter the commission desired to have limited to sixty days, and had a bill introduced in the legislature to that effect. The bill died on the house calendar. The rates from which the railroads are appealing are on grain and grain products, oil and petroleum products, cement, etc., vegetables, fruits and canned goods, cotton, cotton seed and products and hides. The railroads also object to the order requiring wire and mail reports on all accidents.

The Guthrie Fellows.

It is hoped that fellow townsman Justice Furman and chief supreme clerk, Campbell, and supreme court reporter, Parker, will come and bring the governor with themselves when they drop down to help Ada celebrate the securing of state normal. It is desired that Swamp bring his bow and uniform.

LITTLE CHATS WITH BUSINESS MEN

* "A Jack-of-all-trades is master of none."
* Never was a greater truth spoke!
* This is indeed the day of specialization, and the man who would know the true meaning of success must first find his one particular line of work and then put into that work every atom of vim, energy and enthusiasm which he possesses.
* He must turn neither to right nor left—he must think, plan and strive for the greatest possible results in the one line of work.
* To flit from one thing to another—to leave one task unfinished to jump unprepared into another—to enthrone today and grouch tomorrow—to divide your mental work-shop into two departments; one half-heartedly working on the task in hand, and the other dreaming of the "may-bes" of tomorrow—this sort of mental attitude can bring but one result—disappointment; failure.
* To get the most out of life, get the most out of the task in hand—do today's work today!
* Concentration is the deciding factor—it is the first turn in the combination that unlocks the gate leading to success.

The Lurid Glow of Doom

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams, of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had, for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him." For Eruption, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by G. M. Ramsey.

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Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 146.
Meets first, third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No. 563, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Aerie, No. 1740.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton, N. G.; C. M. Chauncey, secretary.

Try an News want ad if you have anything to sell.
All kinds of legal blanks for sale at the News office.

Royal Neighbors Entertain.

An entertainment was given last evening at I. O. O. F. hall by the Royal Neighbors of America in honor of State Supervisor, Mrs. Florence Harris, of Muskogee. The program consisted of an opening address by Mrs. Harris; music by Mrs. Shanafelt; quartette by Messrs. Wymore, Bowman, Walters and Guest; duet by Mesdames Shanafelt and Ingram; solo by Mesdames Shanafelt and Jones and song by Little Miss Pauline Jones.

The Royal Neighbors desire to extend their thanks and express their appreciation to those who so kindly assisted them with the entertainment program.

PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
COUNTY OF PONTOTOC,
CITY OF ADA.

Whereas, much trash and dirt and filth is lying in piles and is strewn about in the alleys, streets, and other public places in and of the said City of Ada; and

Whereas many unsightly objects have accumulated in the back yards and vacant lots in and over the said city, which are dangerous to the health of the general public of said city; and

Whereas, it is necessary that a general cleaning-up be had in the said city before the warm days of summer begin.

Therefore, We, Geo. A. Harrison, mayor of the said City of Ada, Oklahoma, and M. W. Ligon, city physician and health officer of the said city, by the authority vested in us, do hereby give notice to all the inhabitants of said city that the 22nd day of March be, and the same is hereby set aside for a general "cleaning up day"; that on or before the said date, all trash, rubbish, filth, and decayed vegetable and animal matter of whatsoever description must be removed from the alleys and back yards and either burned or carried beyond the city limits, and the said back yards, etc., be put in a good sanitary condition.

Notice is further given that the chief of police, and every policeman in the city is hereby ordered and directed to make a thorough investigation on and immediately after the said date, and report all persons failing and refusing to clean up their premises, and to have such persons prosecuted in the police court.

Let no Man Fail to Observe This Notice. The penalty for the violation hereof will be \$5.00 with cost of suit added. The City must be cleaned up.

Given under our hands at Ada, this 15th day of March, A. D., 1909.

Geo. A. HARRISON, Mayor.
M. W. Ligon, City Health Officer.
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Try a News "Want Ad."

Announcements.

The News is directed to announce the following Democratic citizens as candidates for one or the other of the various city elective offices subject to the democratic primary occurring Tuesday, April 6th, 1909.

For Mayor—
LEM J. LITTLE
For Police Judge—
CHAS. A. POWERS
GEORGE DAVIDSON
Chief of Police—
GEORGE CULVER,
LEE WEST
LEM MITCHELL,
For City Clerk—
WILBUR B. JONES
For City Assessor—
ANDY H. CHAPMAN.
JACK McMILLAN..
For City Treasurer—
ORVILLE SNEAD
W. C. LEE
For City Attorney—
JAMES E WEBB
For Street Commissioner—
J. B. GOTCHER
J. H. CANTWELL
C. W. EDSALL

For Treasurer for City Board of Education—

W. D. HAYS
For Alderman First Ward—
S. E. CHAPMAN
For Alderman Second Ward—
TOM HOPE
S. W. HILL
For Alderman Third Ward—
GEORGE V. WEST
For Alderman Fourth Ward—
L. J. CROWDER
BOARD OF EDUCATION.
First Ward—
W. C. DUNCAN
Second Ward—
J. F. McKEEL
Third Ward—
W. H. NETTLES
Fourth Ward—
J. L. BARRINGER
Attached Territory—
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If used according to directions for a reasonable length of time, we are absolutely positive that it will thoroughly cleanse the scalp and hair, relieve irritation, eradicate dandruff, stimulate the hair follicles and papilla, revitalize and nourish the hair roots, stop falling hair, prevent baldness, promote hair growth and make the hair naturally soft and silky.
You must realize that we would not dare back up our claims with such a liberal offer unless we were positive that we can substantiate our statements in every particular, and the most skeptical person should at least be willing to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic at our risk.
GWIN-MAYS & CO., The Rexall Store.

Howard Parker State Reporter.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—Howard Parker of Ada was today commissioned as state reporter by Gov. Haskell under the law passed by the legislature just before adjournment. Besides getting out the supreme and criminal court reports it is the duty of the state reporter to supervise the printing of the session laws. Parker has been the reporter for the supreme court. The new place pays \$2,000 a year.

LADIES!

We have our spring and summer goods on display. You are cordially invited to attend our grand millinery opening this week. This is the fashion event of the entire season, depicting the correct styles to be worn this spring and summer. It is an occasion of the initial showing of the most beautiful creations of the foremost style designers, and every woman should make a mental note of the fact that this is one of the occurrences she must attend. An hour spent here today or tonight will give you a clever idea of the season's preferred styles than could be obtained in any other way and we would have you consider this a personal invitation to attend this style show which includes every thing from the most elaborate ideas to the smart styles designed for dress, street and traveling wear.

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PERSONAL COLUMN

Big 16c picture sale at Smith's 7td

Will Allen of Roff, transacted business in Ada today.

Kodaks to sell or rent at Ramsey's.

Prof. T. F. Pierce is visiting the Francis School today.

Quarterly conference at the First Methodist church tonight.

Dr. Wilkerson of Roff, was a business visitor in our city today.

B. F. Frick returned this morning from a business trip to Konawa.

C. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway, phone 279. 272-td

Mrs. Foster Simpson of Konawa is the guest of Mrs. R. W. Simpson.

If you want first class groceries call up M. L. Walsh. Phone 17. 274-dtf

Lee Eddleman returned this morning from a business trip to Konawa.

Do not fail to enjoy the music at the First Methodist church next Sunday.

See those big pictures for 16c at Smith's. 7td

Roy Donaghey returned this morning from a business trip to Holdenville.

C. A. Galbraith left this morning for a few days business trip in Muskogee.

M. J. Williams, representing Ward-en-Ebright, printing establishment, of Oklahoma City is in the city today.

Rev. J. B. McDonald who has been attending the Sunday school institute returned to Tulsa, Wednesday afternoon.

The case of B. B. Burwell, which was to have come up for preliminary hearing before Judge Brown today, was postponed until arrival of Judge Bolen, counsel for defendant, who is in Guthrie.

Everyday is opening day at the Westcott Mercantile Co. They have over three hundred shapes in ladies' hats. The millinery department is replete with bargains and if you can't find it at Westcott's it can't be found. West Main, next door to Gwin-Mays. 304-2t

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Everything new and experienced men to handle the meats.
J. B. GAY, Prop.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man
East Main Street, Ada, Okla.

Jack Wilson offers the best trade advantages to those wishing to buy or deal in second hand buggies. 303-4t

Walter Donaghey left this afternoon for Des Moines, Ia., where he will enter college.

Ladies' Woolen and wash suits to match the new hats on display this week at the GRAND LEADER.

Mrs. Lula Hutchinson of Nashville, Ark., came in this morning for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Donaghey.

Mrs. W. A. Guest who has been the guest of relatives for several days returned to her home in Stonewall this morning.

Money to loan and wanted for loans on well improved farms. Claude Scales Real Estate, Loans and Insurance, Farmers' State Bank. tf

Mrs. Florence Harris, state supervisor of the Royal Neighbors, who has been in Ada for a few days returned to her home in Muskogee this morning.

Just received a new line of little boys linen wash suits in white and all colors, ages 3 to 12 with knickerbocker pants.

GRAND LEADER.
Music at First Methodist church Sunday night. Prof. and Mrs. Carl Keifer will sing with the choir and will also give several special selections. Come and bring your friends.

Many Ada ladies attended the Model Millinery opening today. The good taste of the trimmer, Miss Ellison, was displayed in the number of beautiful designs shown.

See the O. B. Weaver Insurance Agency for Tornado insurance, rates \$2.50 for \$1000 and \$1.25 for \$500 insurance. The season of storms is approaching.

Hubert Wilson is second in a contest of Saturday evening Post agents for a Shetland Pony and cart. Help him to win by taking the Post for a few weeks. Phone 36. 304-3t

Reasons for why I resigned from Byrd hotel as "chef." Because I was furnished with unexperienced help. I will be found at Chapman hotel where I will cater to please the wants of my patrons.

DOLPH LOVE.

General Revenue Bill Approved.
Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—Gov. Haskell today approved the general revenue bill, which makes taxes due in October of each year. Taxes are due annually, while heretofore it was semi-annually.

Notice to Masons.
All members of Ada lodge No. 119 are called to meet at lodge room Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Urgent communication of Ada lodge No. 119. Very important business to transact.
TOM D. McKEOWN, W. M.
D. W. Swaffer, S. E. S. 3td

FOUND
On display and exhibition at the Harris drug store a complete and success kitchen Cabinet. The ladies of Ada are cordially invited to call and see the Success Kitchen Cabinet any day this week. Hours 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. at Harris drug store.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

My Business is to Work
What have you that you want done?

I will build your house, barns, outhouses, fences and grade your yard, repair your screens, doors, windows, etc. Will furnish plans upon request
Herman Miller Phone 76

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FACTS

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Pontotoc County



"The Parisian"
HAS YOUR HAT

COME AND SEE MARCH 18, 19, 20

Miss Lessel
Cox-Greer-McDonald Co.

LOOKS LIKE A HUNG JURY IN FAMOUS COOPER CASE

ATTORNEY GENERAL McCARN IS THE ONLY LAWYER THAT EXPECTS AN AGREEMENT BY JURY.

Nashville, Tenn., March 17.—With indications that the jury at a late hour tonight is still far from an agreement, the opinion is prevalent that a mistrial will be the termination of the famous case against Colonel D. B. and Robin J. Cooper and John D. Sharp for the slaying of former United States Senator E. W. Carmack.

Judge Hart evidently does not expect an early verdict for at 4 p. m. he adjourned court and started for his country home. Asked if he would return to receive a verdict during the night, he said: "I will not. If they reach a verdict it will be just as good in the morning. I don't believe in midnight verdicts."

Judge Hart began his charge to the jury at 9:30 a. m., and finished at 11:45 at which time the twelve men retired to deliberate. The typewritten charge of 62 pages, about 400 words to the page, was handed to Juror Hyde and, according to cus-

tom in this county, this makes him the foreman.

Judge Hart has declared his intention of holding the jury together for a week or two if necessary to get a verdict. The costs in the case have been enormous and it is realized that a second jury to try the case never could be secured in this county.

Attorney General McCarn looks for a verdict.

Spring Opening.

The Grand Leader, under the management of Messrs. Katz & Rosenfield is now conducting its annual spring opening. The millinery emporium is one of the leading features, but the entire dress goods department is replete with fashion's latest fads. The clothing and gent's furnishing department is just as elaborate, and the many visitors to this popular establishment cannot fail to be attracted by the arrangement of the stock and the courteous and congenial treatment they receive at the hands of the management.

The Daily News covers the city thoroughly. Try a want ad through its columns. Price 1 cent a word for 1st insertion and one-half cent a word each subsequent insertion.

WANTS.

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:

One insertion, per word.....1c
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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, apply at News office. 301-tf

LOST.

LOST—Lady's gold watch between Johnson and postoffice on Main St., on Tuesday evening. Return to News office and receive suitable reward. dtf

WANTED.

WANTED—Three room house furnished, or rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to Claude Scales, Farmers' State Bank. 3t

WANTED—At cement plant; to buy large, heavy mules. 304-3td

MONEY—To loan and wanted for loans on well improved farms. Claude Scales, real estate, loans and insurance, Farmers' State Bank. tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—On account of failing eyesight, I offer to sell my plumbing business at cost and carriage. 3td
E. P. MEIGS.

KING OF ALL THROAT & LUNG REMEDIES

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

QUICKEST, SAFEST, SUREST COUGH AND COLD CURE

AND HEALER OF ALL DISEASES OF LUNGS, THROAT AND CHEST

CURED BY HALF A BOTTLE
Half a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me of the worst cold and cough I ever had.—J. R. Pitt, Rocky Mount, N. C.

PRICE 50c AND \$1.00

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, March 23, 1909, the Board of Education of the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, will proceed before the district Court in and for Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, to make a showing and ask the Court to hear and determine the amount of the outstanding legal indebtedness of said Board, and to sign the bonds to be issued in payment of the same, at which hearing any person interested may remonstrate against the issuance of the same.

By order of the Board of Education of the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, March 10, 1909.

W. C. DUNCAN,
Clerk of Said Board.

298-10t-d

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

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is economy compared with buying some real estate. You need to use judgment in buying real estate to get the best returns. You need expert advice. On our lists you will find the most desirable real estate in Ada. We are ready to give you the benefit of our experience in makin ga choice.



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Electricity

It is safer, more convenient, matchless, no smoke, no soot, no smell.

It may cost less than you think. Just ask us questions and let us tell you about it

Ada Electric & Gas. Co.
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SOME REASONS WHY IT PAYS THE FARMER TO HAVE A TELEPHONE

The dollars saved keeping in touch with the markets will pay the price many fold.

In case of an emergency when a doctor or neighbor is needed, life or property may be saved.

The telephone has done away with the old time isolation that handicapped social life in the country and drove young people to the city.

It is then a saver of life, money and property and is a pleasure to all the family. For information regarding rates and manner of securing the service consult with your nearest local manager.

PIONEER TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Pneumonia is Prevailing

Throughout the country. Be wise—Stop that cough in time. We have the completest line of cough syrups in the city. They are guaranteed.

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For the Next Show

Ada Opera House

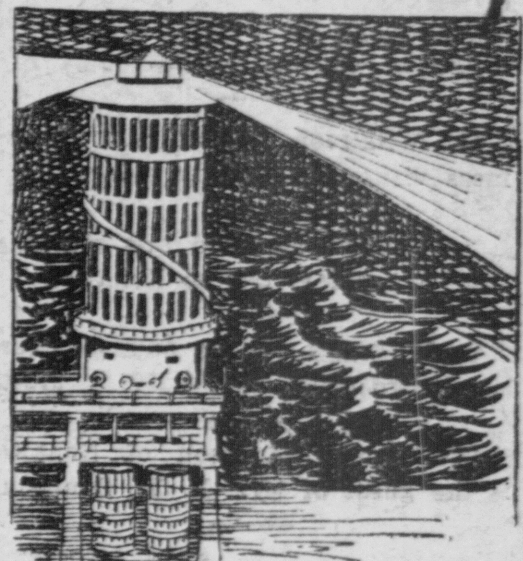


NEW WAVE MOTOR INVENTED.

If Successful May Operate Government Lighthouses Without Fuel.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Not only national but international interest is being manifested in the demonstration to be made at Atlantic City in a few days of the feasibility of utilizing the limitless force of the sea in the production of power for light, heating and other present day needs.

Inventors have been trying to harness this enormous energy which has been going to waste throughout all the centuries, but they all attacked the problem from the wrong side; that



Wave Motor in Lighthouse.

is, they all made use of plungers, which, by rising and falling with the waves would impart their power to a wheel, but no practicable machine was ever built, and people came to the conclusion that the problem was impossible of solution. But engineers who have tested the wave motors invented by William Snee of Pittsburg, Pa., state that these motors will do the work for which they are intended.

The motor, or rather the revolving portion of the motor, resembles in construction and is in effect a turbine. It is the only turbine wheel ever invented for generating power from wave and tide motion. The motor revolves within a stationary shield, which is equipped with reflectors and guide blades set at such an angle as to harmonize all outside conflicting forces of the water, so that no matter from what direction the water is jetted into the interior the motor always turns in one direction.

Models of various sizes have been made and the experiments have proved such an unqualified success that two 61-ton motors have been installed at the end of Young's pier at Atlantic City, and the power obtained will be utilized to make the pier and beach one great blaze of light.

The wave motor seems to be an amphibious machine, for it works as well on the land as it does in the water. This feature was tested recently at Pittsburg and the motor proved itself to be 20 per cent. more sensitive to the currents of the air than the anemometer, the same principle that harmonizes the conflicting forces of water within the outside wheel harmonizing likewise conflicting forces of wind. Furthermore, in contrast with the fan tail windmill, there need be no fear of destruction or injury, no matter how great the velocity of the wind.

This discovery naturally suggested the idea of using both the wind and wave motors in government lighthouses, the matter was brought to the attention of the government officials and an investigation is being made.

MAY RIVAL YELLOWSTONE PARK.

Wheeler National Monument Set Aside in Honor of Explorer.

Denver, Col.—The creation of the Wheeler National monument by the United States government, made operative by the signature of President Roosevelt a few days since, serves to



Strange Formation in Wheeler National Park.

bring to public notice a great natural attraction which it is believed is destined to rival the Yellowstone National park, the Royal Gorge in the Grand canyon of the Arkansas, and the Natural Bridges of Utah.

The tract included by the proclamation is situated on the south slope and near the summit of the Continental divide at an elevation of approximately 11,500 feet above sea level, about eight miles from Wagon Wheel Gap, Col., a famous hot springs resort of the Rocky mountains. Innumerable columns of pale yellow sandstone, assuming the shapes of castles and domes, as well as countless grotesque figures, present a pinnacled and serrated panoramic view unlike anything else in the geological world.

This new park is to be known as the Wheeler National monument in honor of Lieut. Wheeler, an early explorer in this section. The president derives his authority for this edict under the act of congress approved June 8, 1906, providing for the preservation of American antiquities.

IT IS 150 years since Col. George Washington, a brilliant young officer in the colonial army, led to the altar Martha Custis, a young matron whose fame for beauty and charm and wit had made her the pride of Kent and all the country around about in his majesty's prosperous colony of Virginia.

The events which led up to the marriage of the father of his country and the widow were not so full of that dignity and severity of action with which it has become the custom of the American people to surround the first president. In fact there were features in them that tended to show that Washington at 27 had much of the dash and dare and romance of the time in him.

Positive proof there is that upon the very first occasion of his meeting with Mrs. Custis the young colonel was led from the path of duty, as

the invited guests, including the governor, the members of the legislature, gaudily uniformed officers of the British army and all the distinguished people of the colony, assembled at St. Peter's church, near the home of the bride, and were ushered in by Bishop, the big negro body-guard, in a gorgeous scarlet uniform.

Washington was clad in all the finery that was affected by the



WASHINGTON MEETING MARTHA CUSTIS

a bearer of messages from the field of war to the capital, by the blandishments of the future mistress of Mt. Vernon.

Washington at this particular time, and probably through the influence of, his fiancée, decided to retire from the army and settle down on his farm on the Potomac and incidentally enter politics. Upon the force of this declaration he was chosen a member of the colony's house of burgesses while he was yet in the field, for he was retained there until the end of 1758 and his wedding was accordingly greatly delayed.

There is little of the correspondence that passed between Martha Custis and George Washington in existence, for the very good reason that it was all burned by the lady after the death of her spouse, she holding that it was sacred between them and should never be made public. One letter is found, however, that may evince something of the spirit of Washington in writing to his future wife, it being somewhat of a model in its way, yet less eloquent than might have been expected. He wrote her on July 2, after they had become engaged, as follows:

"We have begun our march for Ohio. A courier is starting for Williamsburg and I embrace the opportunity to send a few words to one whose life is now inseparable from mine. Since that happy hour when we made our pledges to each other my thoughts have been constantly going to you as another self. That an all-powerful Providence may keep us both in safety is the prayer of your ever affectionate and faithful friend."

Contrasting quite forcefully with this letter is one written two months later from the field also, but to Mrs. George William Fairfax, the wife of a family friend, but despite this the object of probably the only infatuation that Washington ever had. He says in part:

"Tis true I profess myself a votary of love. I acknowledge that a lady is in the case and further I confess that this lady is known to you. Yes, madam, as well as she is to one who is too sensible of her charms to deny the power, whose influence he feels and must ever submit to. I feel the force of her amiable beauties in the recollection of a thousand tender passages that I could be wise to obliterate, till I am bid to revive them."

"You have drawn me, dear madam, or rather I have drawn myself, into an honest confession of a simple fact. Misconstrue not my meaning, doubt it not or expose it. The world has no business to know the object of my love, declared in this manner to you, when I war you to conceal it. . . . But adieu to this till happier times, if I ever shall see them. The hours at present are melancholy and dull. I dare to believe you are as happy as you say. I wish I was happy also."

This letter was found in the effects of Mrs. Fairfax, who died in England at the ripe old age of 82. It is taken to reveal a sadness in the life of the first president and an unrequited love—or by some it is taken as an evidence that he was something of a gay Lothario, who might say many things to a fair lady and not mean them.

There was nothing of sadness about Col. Washington when, at the holiday session of 1758, he returned to Williamsport and preparations were made for the wedding so long delayed. On January 6, 1759, the day was clear and cold, when

young bloods of the time. His suit was of blue cloth. The coat showed a rich lining of red silk and boasted many silver ornaments. A white satin waistcoat, gold knee buckles and powdered hair completed his costume.

The bride wore a huge white satin petticoat quilted and pleated beyond belief. Her heavily corded white silk overdress was the richest that the colony had ever known. Diamonds blazed from her hands and braids of pearls hung from her patrician neck.

Bridesmaids and groomsmen were correspondingly arrayed in the height of the latest fashion that was brought over from the English court by fine gentlemen and ladies, who not infrequently were coming to America then, and by colonial gentlemen who often accompanied their precious cargoes of tobacco to the mother country and bought with the proceeds the richest real estate.

After the Rev. John Mossum had performed the ceremony that united the pair the gay cavalcade formed that was to wind its way back to the "white house," where the feasting and merrymaking was to take place. The newly-made Mrs. Martha Washington and her three bridesmaids were placed by gallant hands in the finest chariot in Virginia, drawn by six white horses. These were driven by postillions in livery, each man driving a span, one of which he rode. When with much clanking and jingling of bells the procession started, the groom and all his assistants and the gay company sprang to saddle and formed the escort with outriders and followers and gallants vying with one another for position by the carriage door.

The week of gayety that followed culminated with a visit to the house of burgesses, then in session in Williamsport, and a member of which Col. Washington had recently been chosen. The young officer was quite the hero of the hour, for he had returned from the wars laden with honors and his personal social conquests had been climaxed by his marriage with Mrs. Custis, whose popularity was widespread. But on the visit to the house of burgesses the young officer was entirely put to rout and overcome by his great modesty.

With Col. Washington, his bride and the entire party occupying seats of honor in the legislative chamber, the speaker, Mr. Robinson, arose and presented a note framed by the house expressing the appreciation of that body of Col. Washington's services in the warmest of terms. The speaker grew grandiloquent in his praise of the young officer and bridegroom, and when he had closed his remarks Washington arose to respond. He was greeted by storms of applause and became so confused that when he was given an opportunity to express his appreciation he could but stammer unintelligibly and find no words in which to express himself. The speaker came to his relief and closed the incident by saying:

"Sit down, Mr. Washington, your modesty equals your valor and that surpasses the power of any language I possess."

After the wedding Washington remained for three months at the "White House" on his wife's estates, and thence accompanied by her

set out by chariot on the long journey to Mt. Vernon. The coach and six were again brought into service with postillions and outriders and the journey was made by easy stages, with many stops by the wayside, during which visits were made with various friends.

In the due course of time the future home of the young people was reached and they settled down to the routine of country gentle people in the stately



THE COURTSHIP OF WASHINGTON AND MARTHA CUSTIS.

mansion by the Potomac, which has since become historic.

Washington was a man of wealth already in his own name, for he had acquired much land in his mapping and surveying of the country, and the estates on the Potomac were in themselves valuable and yielded annually handsome returns in tobacco.

Col. Daniel Parke Custis, the first husband of Mrs. Washington, had been a son of the king's counselor and a man of wealth. Upon his death he had left to his wife and two children his landed estates and £45,000 in cash. This latter was in itself a stupendous fortune at that time, when money had a purchasing power many times as great as at present. Two-thirds of it was held in trust for the children, but sufficient of it went direct to Washington to make him one of the wealthiest men in America at that time.

The even tenor of the life of quiet which filled the next 17 years at Mount Vernon is shown in the frequent passages in the diary that Washington kept, beginning with the new year following his marriage. In all that grace and hospitality of those days Martha excelled and they said in Virginia there was no place like Washington's as a social center. There were almost always to be found as guests the Fairfaxes, the Lees, the Custises, the Fitzhughs and others whose names live, not only in the records of those days, but also to-day as typical of the old aristocracy of the colony.

Washington in his diary on the first anniversary of his wedding fails to recall any particular significance of the day, as he says:

"The chariot not returning in time from Col. Fairfax's we were prevented from church. Mrs. Washington was a good deal better today (she had the measles), but the oysterman, still continuing his disorderly behavior at my landing, I was obliged in the most peremptory manner to order him and his company away, which he did not incline to obey until the following morning."

A little later he writes, wrapped up in domestic affairs:

"Got a little butter from Mr. Dalton and wrote to Col. West for pork." And again: "Visited at Belvoir a day, carrying Dr. Craik with us, who spent the evening there." Later: "Killed 17 more hogs, which were bought by Mr. French." . . . "Visited my plantation, severely reprimanding young Stephen for his indolence and his father for suffering it."

On the whole "Squire Washington and his bride after their wedding dropped into that form of life which most appealed to him and

which he had long before outlined in some of the few verses he has ever been accredited with having written and which appear in an old copy book in his own hand. They are here given:

These are the things which once possessed
Will make a life that's truly blessed,
A good estate on healthy soil
Not got by vice nor yet by toil;
Round a warm fire a pleasant joke,
With chimney ever free from smoke;
A strength entire, a sparkling bowl,
A quiet wife, a quiet soul,
A mind as well as a body whole.

Prudent sympathy, constant friends,
A diet which no art commends;
A merry night without much drinking,
A happy thought without much thinking,
Each night by quiet sleep made short,
A will to be but what thou art.
Possessed of these all else defy,
And neither wish nor fear to die.

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THE EVENING NEWS

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Plant, Cotton Compress, Cotton Seed
Oil Mill, Flour Mill, Ice Plant, Flour
Banks, Electric Lights and Power,
24 hours Street Parking and Sidewalk
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LEGISLATURE PASSES 206 BILLS

OUT OF THE ENTIRE AMOUNT
ONLY EIGHTY-NINE HAVE SO
FAR BEEN APPROVED BY
THE GOVERNOR.

THE APPROPRIATIONS REACH \$7,000,000

The Important Measures Awaiting
the Governor's Signature are
Those Locating Some of the
Leading State Institutions.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—The Second Oklahoma legislature, adjourning last week, passed a total of 206 bills, 89 of which have been approved by the governor and 117 are awaiting his consideration. Bills that have only local application are vastly in the majority. The appropriations will reach, it is believed, nearly \$7,000,000 and it is expected that in this direction the executive will do much shaming. To date, however, there have been no votes, neither have there been bills becoming laws without his signature.

The Governor has until March 27, or fifteen days after the legislature adjourns, to approve the measures left with him and no bill becomes effective after adjournment unless it is approved. The emergency clause was attached to comparatively few measures.

The following bills making appropriations have been signed by the governor: Two thousand dollars to pay expenses of the state bond issue; \$80,000 to pay account with Kansas state penitentiary for care of prisoners and cover cost of their removal to Oklahoma; \$71.21 for Anna Johnson for work done for Oklahoma Territory; \$4,000 for fire escapes for the state normal schools; \$100,000 for mileage and per diem of legislature, and \$25,000 salaries of officers and employees; \$40,000 with authorization to the board of agriculture to establish county demonstration farms; \$80,000 for erection and maintenance of district agricultural schools in the Third, Fourth and Fifth Supreme Judicial Districts; \$10,050.98 for furniture purchased for state officers; \$14,000 for expenses and per diem of regents of the state institutions; \$60,975.75 for maintenance of the agricultural schools at Warner and Tishomingo; \$80,000 for state school for the deaf at Sulphur; \$20,900 for Panhandle district agricultural school.

Among the local measures that have been approved are those mak-

ing court towns of Coweta, Wagoner county; Davis, Murray county; El Dorado, Jackson county, and Prague, Lincoln county.

Laws of General Nature.

Repealing the County High school law; amending drainage act; permitting the state to offer a reward of \$50 for arrest of horse and mule thieves; fixing time for appeals in misdemeanor cases within sixty days, and criminal cases within six months authorizing religious, charitable and educational institutions to increase the number of their boards of trustees; authorizing domestic buildings and loan companies to increase their capital stock; penalizing public officers for accepting rebates or interest upon public funds, and appropriating to individual use, otherwise known as the "anti-graft" law; permitting the Governor to call special elections upon initiated or referred measures; and, for repeal of the statute for removal of obstructions in streams.

Among the positions and boards created, the bills approved are: Creating office of supreme court reporter, with salary of \$2,000 per year; creating judicial district of Washington and Osage counties; creating a code commission of five members, eight months' work at \$400 per month each; providing for state examination and registration of trained nurses, and creating a board of examiners; perpetuating the criminal court of appeals; fixing salary of the state bank commissioner at \$2,500 per annum and authorizing appointment of eight assistants at \$1,800 per annum each; and repeal of the law authorizing counties to employ experts to audit the books.

Institutions and Miscellaneous Laws.

Institutions created by the legislature, bills covering which have already been approved, were: State penitentiary at McAlester, \$400,000 appropriation; State Reform school at Granite, \$50,000 appropriation; District Panhandle Agricultural school for the counties of Texas, Cimarron, and Beaver; normal schools at Durant and Tahlequah, \$25,000 and \$45,000 appropriations, respectively; reform school between Pauls Valley and Wynnewood, \$45,000.

Among the more important laws signed by the governor were: Amendments to the state banking law; making it a felony to give or sell intoxicating liquor to minors, persons of unsound mind, or habitual drunkards; new fish and game law; amendments to tax ferret law, restricting the operation of the ferret from the date of statehood, and reducing commission to 15 per cent; defining procedure for mortgaging or sale of homestead of insane husband or wife; prohibiting the sale of inherited property by minor children who marry before they reach lawful age; law prohibiting child labor; allowing

\$18,700; for new building and maintenance of State School of Mines at Wilburton, \$248,000; making available to state institutions, from school land leases, \$14,191.83; for maintenance of state university, \$285,810.23; to establish institution for feeble-minded at Enid, \$47,000; new building at Edmond Normal school, \$100,000; deficiency appropriation bill, \$443,836.82 establishing normal school at Ada, \$100,000; for other educational institutions, \$208,620, and \$128,052 (two appropriations); State mining board, \$7,000; state bank commissioner, \$37,400; pure food commission, \$23,000; dairy commission, \$10,000; general appropriation bill, \$340,576; geological survey, \$34,650; state board of agriculture, \$129,000; state library, \$18,512; state board of health, \$33,600; A. and M. college, \$90,000; girl's industrial school, Chickasha, \$100,000; eastern insane asylum at Vinita, \$200,000; insane asylum, Fort Supply, \$352,348; state election board, \$15,330; codifying and revising laws, \$69,000; board of public affairs, \$35,600; Colored deaf and blind school, \$6,500; state printing, \$151,960; converting other funds to educational institutions, \$14,191.83; colored A. and M. college, 95,000; Durant Normal school, \$100,000; Claremore preparatory school, \$65,000; 1907 election printing and election supplies, \$16,344; and Panhandle storm sufferers, \$10,000.

Special Bills Not Signed.

Authorizing cities to pension meritorious firemen, money to be paid out of fund created by tax on insurance companies; enlarging scope of state examiner and inspector's office; creating office warrant clerk in state treasurer's office creating additional clerical offices in department of state auditor; creating branch of the free employment bureau, to be maintained in eastern part of the state, appropriating \$2,500; providing for eradication of cattle tick; to prevent the waste of oil and gas; providing for additional clerk hire for county treasurers; requiring cotton ginners to report twice a month to the state department of agriculture; authorizing an additional judge for the third judicial district (Muskogee); amendments to the state mining law; authorizing the Oklahoma national guard to lease a tract of land in Lincoln county for encampment purposes, reducing gross production tax on coal from 2 to one-half of 1 per cent; protection of people in sale of fruit trees; prohibiting the wearing of lodge emblems when wearer is not member, or the incorporation of lodges not allied with the grand organizations; authorizing additional judge for the seventh judicial district; permitting organization of insurance companies to insure cotton gins, and permitting organization of hail insurance companies.

Of Interest to Counties.

The following measures of interest to counties are awaiting the Governor's consideration: Authorizing boards of education to construct two or more school houses in a school district; providing for taking census of the state and gathering agricultural statistics; for the construction of bridges by counties; revising the county weigher's law; authorizing counties to purchase toll bridges; authorizing counties to issue bonds for bridge purposes; amending state drainage act; authorizing county commissioners to pay for reconstruction or repair of bridges destroyed by floods; providing for bonding school districts; authorizing counties to pay for holding county farmers' institutes; authorizing cities to condemn for additions to cemeteries; for restoration of county and other public records that have been destroyed; for election of special judges of districts or counties where regular judge is absent or disqualified.

Bills of local interest, remaining unsigned: Holding terms of the county court in Hooker, Texas county; Snyder, Kiowa county; Crowder, Pittsburg county; Blanchard, McClain county; Lexington, Cleveland county; Billings, Noble county; legalizing a school district bond issue in Major county; authorizing the Tulsa county commissioners to purchase certain toll bridges; legalizing the Jordan Valley Townsite Company; authorizing the sale of school land to the city of Kingfisher.

Bills of Chief Importance.

Among the more important measures awaiting the governor's approval

are those locating the institution for the feeble minded at Enid; normal school at Ada; colored deaf, dumb and blind school at Tatt; girl's industrial school at Chickasha; Eastern Oklahoma hospital for the insane at Vinita; permanently locating school for the deaf at Sulphur; locating the Eastern University preparatory school at Claremore.

MR. MEIGS WOULD SELL.

A Very Substantial Plumbing Business—A Good Patronage.

Mr. E. P. Meigs, substantial plumbing and tinning dealer and manufacturer affords the information that he will be compelled to either dispose of his plumbing business or else employ an experienced plumber to look after such end of his prospering business.

The reason ascribed by Mr. Meigs is the fact that his failing eyesight makes it impossible for him to personally handle or oversee business of the nature of plumbing. Mr. Meigs directs the News to state that he will sell the suggested division of his business at cost and carriage. On account of sewerage and water works extension construction in the immediate future, this offer evidently represents a splendid bargain.

Kansas Likes Oklahoma.

"Oklahoma is a good state and if I ever leave Kansas it will be the place where I'll locate, but as yet I have no intention of departing from my home here," says J. D. Kotkin of Winfield, Kan., who was defeated for governor on the democratic ticket last fall, when questioned regarding a rumor that he was considering changing his residence. "I like the new state and like the people," he continued, "but this report that I am to enter the political field there is decidedly erroneous. I intend to stay in Kansas as long as the people let me."

No Court Monday.

The legal fraternity and others generally interested were greatly disappointed today when it was learned that Judge Wegl, of the district court, was ill and could not convene the court here Monday. The docket is quite heavy at this time, but there is nothing to indicate just when the court can be called to meet.

Roddie Insurance Bill Signed.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—Gov. Haskell today signed the Roddie insurance bill, which carries the emergency clause and is now the law.

Try a News "Want Ad."

Bromide Water

The water that made Sulphur famous as a health resort. We are prepared to deliver this water in case lots of six one-gallon bottles each at a very small cost.

We also sell the celebrated Eureka Springs Water "Ozark"
Hogodi Water
Abilena Water
Apolonioris Water
Buffalo Lithia Water

The water from these famous springs can be delivered to you by phoning No. 6.

Ramsey's
Drug Store
Phone No. 6

WAPCO FLOUR
For Sale by All Grocers

A FINE LINE OF

Paint and Wall Paper

AT THE

Crescent Drug Store

Contract Work Done

See Dr. Holley and W. P. Brinkley

In the Rollow Building.

Phone 18

A FULL LINE

Of Pipe and Pipe Fittings, Mill Chimes, etc.

R. E. Haynes, the Hardware Man. ADA, OKLA.

In Selecting a Bank

with which to do your business the first consideration is the character and standing of its officers and directors (and the financial resources of the bank). Judged by these standards, your confidence and patronage are merited by the

First National Bank of Ada

P. A. Norris, Pres. H. T. Douglas, V. P.
M. D. Timberlake, Cashier

GET Money on Your Farm & City Property
ABSTRACTS FROM THE OLD RECORDS
INSURANCE ADA TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY

DISCOVERED IN ADA

This morning about 9 o'clock Mr. S. Kinnard, of Fort Worth, Tex., found his wife at Harris' Drug store while looking at, and listening to, a thorough explanation of how to operate and appreciate a Success Kitchen Cabinet. Mr. Kinnard was surprised when his wife told him that she had never before seen a Kitchen Cabinet that would catch a lady's eye as the one on exhibition at Harris' drug store on Main street by the Chicago Cabinet Co. Hours 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Governor's Daughter to Wed.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Frances Haskell, daughter of Gov. and Mrs. C. N. Haskell, and Major Leslie Gordon Niblack, editor and owner of the Guthrie Daily Leader, which will be celebrated in the executive chambers of the state capital building Wednesday, March 31.

Brand New

PRESCRIPTION DRUG STORE

OUR MOTTO: Prompt, Accuracy, Courtesy and Fair Treatment of All.

Special attention to filling prescriptions and family receipts.

We guarantee the absolute correctness and purity of every ingredient used.

We deliver free of extra charge.

ADA DRUG CO.

D. W. HOLMAN, Pharmacist
Phone No. 12
East Main Street, Ligon Building

Hot and Cold Stuff

We manufacture ICE and wholesale and retail COAL.

We have the exclusive sale at Ada of the well known McDonald Deep Shaft Coal. We guarantee no Slack, or dirt. Full weight, prompt delivery. Fancy clean lump, \$5.50 per ton in lot lots, delivered. We also have on hand stock of blacksmith coal.

ADA ICE & FUEL CO.

Block's
Empress
Perfumes
True
Flower Odors

A natural flower in each bottle—all odors of the highest quality and hold their delicate fragrance as long as you have tried.

\$1 PERTOUCHE for the extract

Toilet Water
75c and \$1.25
per bottle

Gwin &
Mays Co.

We run a drug store and cutting more



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HASKELL, THE FRIEND OF ADA.

Where it is true that general confidence prevails that Governor Haskell will sign the Ada southern normal bill not only because of the general righteousness of the legislation but as well on account of our governor's substantial reputation for consistency and consistency would prompt the approval for it is known that Governor Haskell has thought out the session been a consistent friend to this city in its normal undertaking. As has before been said, the publication of the governor's statement at the onset of the second legislature that it would be agreeable to him to witness Ada's success and such is a session was received with entire confidence by the Ada people. If possible this confidence was accelerated during and throughout the legislative session for it came to the governor's Ada constituency from time to time that friendliness to this city and support of the desires of the organization of the legislature were maintained with absolute steadfastness.

BANQUET AT PROPER TIME.

It is thought that the determination of the executive officers of the 25000 Club to delay formal action in the preparation of the celebration and banquet proposed in honor of Honorable Rathiff Huddleston and Rod die on account of state normal achievement until after the governor had approved the Ada bill was the proper course for as a matter of course the leading undertaking of the people of this city will be to secure the presence of Governor Haskell and it was the committee's judgment that the nicest amenities would not be observed before the governor should on invitation be extended to him ahead of his approval of the bill notwithstanding the certainty that he would signify his approval of the bill within due and appropriate time. This city is properly regardless of the improbability of forecasting the governor's action, especially as would obtain in the delivery of himself of an invitation to the banquet and celebration.

Extreme gratification will result if Governor Haskell will come as the chief guest of honor of this city.

A telephone from Governor Haskell today stated that in the consideration of the numerous bills ground out by the legislature during the last days of its session before him his final determination that he was pursuing the plan of awarding first attention to those bills of more general importance and as a whole and as a rule the routine of his scrutiny of the bills would occur in the relation of their passage. The Ada public will appreciate the just and business method of the governor's consideration of the legislation before him for his approval.

Since the Ada bill was among the last passed carrying an appropriation it is thought that the governor will not reach the same for final consideration before the earlier part of next week.

A CONVERSATION WITH YOU.

At any time in the history of your business career whatever that business may be did you ever feel that you had reached a crisis which you could not surmount without a favorable change in the attitude of the public? And did you ever feel as though your good intentions were misunderstood and your worthy efforts unappreciated and that if things did not begin to come your way pretty soon you would be compelled to retreat to the barracks of despondency. Of course you have and that's the way the News is feeling just now. There are too many business men in Ada who are not patronizing the News advertising columns for fear that the money invested will not yield an immediate profit from the sale of the specific article advertised.

They forget the value of keeping their name continually before the public and they are often misled by the idea that they are already too well known to be forgotten. There are few enterprises in Ada which were not suggested by the News before their arrival and there are none to which it has not given every possible aid.

The News is engaged in making a city in which it will be possible for you to increase your business and enhance your exchequer. We have been engaged in this business for five years as a daily publication and those who KNOW will admit that we have done our share.

For this reason if for no other we believe that a liberal patronage of our advertising columns would be a good investment. However this is not our argument for we believe we can show you direct results if you will only give us a chance. There are very few people left in this world who are not aware of the fact that a daily newspaper is the strongest support that a town can have in a battle for evidence and superiority. Those who are not aware of these things belong to the submerged tenth and will see the News fight the city's battles single handed as a matter of course. The time has arrived when the Progressives must rally to the support of this paper. The growth of the news must be commensurate with the growth of the city and to make this possible we must have your business. Subscriptions advertising and job printing is our stock in trade and we guarantee to give you value received. Do you belong to the submerged tenth, or are you a progressive? Let us have your answer.

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Corporation Commission's Order.

Guthrie Ok March 17—The supreme court has made an order to the corporation commission to certify to the former tribunal the commission's orders placing into effect a number of commodity tariffs from which fourteen Oklahoma railroads have appealed. Under the present rule appeals from the commission's order may be perfected within one year which is a matter the commission desired to have limited to sixty days and had a bill introduced in the legislature to that effect. The bill died on the house calendar. The rates from which the railroads are appealing are on grain and grain products oil and petroleum products cement etc vegetables fruits and canned goods cotton cotton seed and products and hides. The railroads also object to the order requiring wire and mail reports on all accidents.

The Guthrie Fellows

It is hoped that fellow townsman Justice Turpin and chief supreme clerk Campbell and supreme court reporter Parker will come and bring the governor with themselves when they drop down to help Ada celebrate the securing of state normal. It is desired that Swamp bring his bow and uniform.

LITTLE CHATS WITH BUSINESS MEN

* A Jack-of-all-trades is master of none
* Never was a greater truth spoke
* This is indeed the day of specialization and the man who would know the true meaning of success must first find his one particular line of work and then put into that work every atom of vim energy and enthusiasm which he possesses
* He must turn neither to right nor left—he must think plan and strive for the greatest possible results in the one line of work
* To fit from one thing to another—to leave one task unfinished to jump unprepared into another—to enthrone today and grouch tomorrow—to divide your mental work-shop into two departments—one half hurriedly working on the task in hand and the other dreaming of the may bes of tomorrow—this sort of mental attitude can bring but one result—disappointment failure
* To get the most out of life get the most out of the task in hand—do today's work today
* Concentration is the deciding factor—it is the first turn in the combination that unlocks the gate leading to success

The Lured Glow of Doom was seen in the red face hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams of Henrietta Pa. His awful plight from eczema had for five years defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. But writes his mother seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him. For Eruption Eczema Salt Rheum Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c Guaranteed by G. M. Rumsey

LODGE DIRECTORY.

Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 146. Meets first third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand Mrs. C. M. Chancey Secretary Mrs. Olive Baker

W. O. W.

Ada Camp No. 568 Woodmen of the World meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I O O F hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Aerie, No. 1740.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 32 I O O F meets every Thursday evening A T Deaton N G C M Chancey secretary

Try an News want ad if you have anything to sell. All kinds of legal blanks for sale at the News office.

Royal Neighbors Entertain.

An entertainment was given last evening at I O O F hall by the Royal Neighbors of America in honor of State Supervisor, Mrs. Florence Harris of Muskogee. The program consisted of an opening address by Mrs. Harris music by Mrs. Shana felt quartette by Messrs. Wymore Bowman Walters and Guest duet by Mesdames Shanafelt and Ingram solo by Mesdames Shanafelt and Jones and song by Little Miss Pauline Jones.

The Royal Neighbors desire to extend their thanks and express their appreciation to those who so kindly assisted them with the entertainment program.

PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
COUNTY OF PONTOTOC
CITY OF ADA

Whereas much trash and dirt and filth is lying in piles and is strewn about in the alleys streets, and other public places in and of the said City of Ada and

Whereas many unsightly objects have accumulated in the back yards and vacant lots in and over the said city which are dangerous to the health of the general public of said city and

Whereas it is necessary that a general cleaning up be had in the said city before the warm days of summer begin

Therefore We, Geo A Harrison Mayor of the said City of Ada Oklahoma and M W Ligon city physician and health officer of the said city by the authority vested in us do hereby give notice to all the inhabitants of said city that the 22nd day of March be and the same is hereby set aside for a general cleaning up day that on or before the said date all trash rubbish filth and decayed vegetable and animal matter of whatsoever description must be removed from the alleys and back yards and either burned or carried beyond the city limits and the said back yards etc be put in a good sanitary condition.

Notice is further given that the chief of police and every policeman in the city is hereby ordered and directed to make a thorough investigation on and immediately after the said date and report all persons failing and refusing to clean up their premises and to have such persons prosecuted in the police court.

Let no Man Fail to Observe This Notice. The penalty for the violation hereof will be \$5.00 with cost of suit added. The City must be cleaned up.

Given under our hands at Ada this 17th day of March A D 1904

Geo A HARRISON Mayor

M W Ligon City Health Officer

First pub March 15—14d

This is News Want Ad

Announcements.

The News is directed to announce the following Democratic citizens as candidates for one or the other of the various city elective offices subject to the democratic primary occurring Tuesday April 6th 1909.

For Mayor—
LEW T LITTLE
For Police Judge—
CHAS A POWERS
GEORGE DAVIDSON
Chief of Police—
GEORGE CULVER
LBE WEST
LEW MITCHELL
For City Clerk—
WILBUR B JONES
For City Assessor—
ANDY H CHAPMAN
JACK McMILLAN
For City Treasurer—
ORVILLE SNEAD
W C LEE
For City Attorney—
JAMIE E WEBB
For Street Commissioner—
J B GOTCHER
J H CANTWILL
C W BBSALL

For Treasurer for City Board of Education—
W D HAYS

For Alderman First Ward—
S E CHAPMAN

For Alderman Second Ward—
TOM HOPE
S W HILL

For Alderman Third Ward—
GEORGE V WEST

For Alderman Fourth Ward—
L J CROWDER

BOARD OF EDUCATION

First Ward—
W C DUNCAN

Second Ward—
J T McKEEL

Third Ward—
W H NETTLES

Fourth Ward—
J L BARRINGER

Attached Territory—
W S KERR
C W FLOYD

Rexall
"93" HAIR TONIC

Our faith in the superior remedial qualities of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is so strong that we promise to return your money—without question or quibble—if it does not do what we claim it will.

Because it contains Resorcin, Beta Naphthol, Pilocarpin, Borax, Glycerin and Alcohol in perfect combination, Rexall "93" Hair Tonic provides the softening, cleansing, antiseptic, germicidal, stimulating and nourishing properties, so desirable and necessary for the successful treatment of scalp and hair troubles.

If used according to directions for a reasonable length of time, we are absolutely positive that it will thoroughly cleanse the scalp and hair, relieve irritation, eradicate dandruff, stimulate the hair follicles and papilla, revitalize and nourish the hair roots, stop falling hair, prevent baldness, promote hair growth and make the hair naturally soft and silky.

You must realize that we would not dare back up our claims with such a liberal offer unless we were positive that we can substantiate our statements in every particular and the most skeptical person should at least be willing to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic at our risk.

GWIN-MAYS & CO The Rexall Store

Howard Parker State Reporter.

Guthrie Ok March 17—Howard Parker of Ada was today commissioned as state reporter by Gov Haskell under the law passed by the legislature just before adjournment. Besides getting out the supreme and criminal court reports it is the duty of the state reporter to supervise the printing of the session laws. Parker has been the reporter for the supreme court. The new place pays \$2,000 a year.

LADIES!

We have our spring and summer goods on display. You are cordially invited to attend our grand millinery opening this week. This is the fashion event of the entire season depicting the correct styles to be worn this spring and summer. It is an occasion of the initial showing of the most beautiful creations of the foremost style designers and every woman should make a mental note of the fact that this is one of the occurrences she must attend. An hour spent here today or tonight will give you a clever idea of the seasons' prettiest styles than could be obtained in any other way and we would have you consider this a personal invitation to attend this style show which includes every thing from the most elaborate ideas to the smart styles designed for dress street and traveling wear.

THE GRAND LEADER
Ada Okla

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

LIGON & KING,
Physicians and Surgeons.
Office in First National Bank Bldg

A Galbraith Tom D. McKeown
GALBRAITH & McKEOWN
LAWYERS
Over Citizens National Bank
Ada, Ind. Okla

DR. T. H. GRANGER,
DENTIST.
Phone No. 212.
Room 1 and 2, First Nat'l Building

DR. H. T. SAFFARIAN
DENTIST
Office: Conn. Bldg. over Surprise Store Ada Oklahoma
Office Phone 57 Res 242

BROWALL & FAUST
GENERAL PRACTITIONERS
Surgery and Diseases of Women a Specialty
Office: Conn Bldg. over Surprise Store Phone No. 73

HOME ABSTRACT AND REAL ESTATE COMPANY.
General Abstract Loan and Real Estate Business Fire and Tornado Insurance Southern Surety Company of Oklahoma Office in rear of First National bank

What More Could You Want?

A HOOSIER CABINET contains a sanitary flour bin with sifter attached; a metal self feeding sugar bin; the tea and coffee canisters, the spice cabinet, the want list, the sliding shelves, a big work table covered with genuine aluminum, and oceans of cupboard and drawer room—what more could you want?

ADA FURNITURE & COFFIN CO., ADA, OKLAHOMA.

H WEST **GEO A HARRISON**

Real Estate
Farm Loans, Bonds
Insurance

We Buy, Sell and Rent
Farm and City Property

WEST & HARRISON **South Main Street**

Ingram Paint Co.
Dealers In
High Grade Mixed Paint, Lead and Oil.
A fine assortment of Wall Paper. Let us figure on your contracts for high-class work

FULL LINE OF
STAPLE & FANCY GROCERIES

We buy for cash and sell for cash and divide our profit with our customers

ALDRICH & THOMPSON
Phone 303

PERSONAL COLUMN

Big 10c picture sale at Smith's 7th

Will Allen of Roff transacted business in Ada today

Kodaks to sell or rent at Ramsey's

Prof T F Pierce is visiting the Francis School today

Quarterly conference at the First Methodist church tonight

Dr. Wilkerson of Roff was a business visitor in our city today

B F Frick returned this morning from a business trip to Konawa

C E Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway phone 279 272-42

Mrs Foster Simpson of Konawa is the guest of Mrs R W Simpson

If you want first class groceries call up M I Walsh Phone 17 274 dfr

Lee Eddleman returned this morning from a business trip to Konawa

Do not fail to enjoy the music at the First Methodist church next Sunday

See those big pictures 10c at Smith's 7th

Roy Donaghey returned this morning from a business trip to Holdenville

C A Galbraith left this morning for a few days business trip in Muskogee

M J Williams representing Walden-Edgerton printing establishment of Oklahoma City is in the city today

Rev I B McDonald who has been attending the Sunday school institute returned to Tulsa Wednesday afternoon

The case of B B Burwell which was to have come up for preliminary hearing before Judge Brown today was postponed until arrival of Judge Bolen counsel for defendant who is in Guthrie

Everyday is opening day at the Westcott Mercantile Co. They have over three hundred shapes in ladies hats. The millinery department is replete with bargains and if you can't find it at Westcott's it can't be found West Main next door to Gwin Mays 304 2t

TANKS

Well Casing and Flues
We carry a complete line of bath tubs, lavatories kitchen sinks, etc. We also do sanitary plumbing. All work guaranteed.

Chas. Daggs
Phone 279 N. Broadway

CITY

MEAT MARKET

Daggs Bldg
WEST MAIN ST
Phone 55.
This new market will keep FRESH AND FINE
Meat, Hams and Lard
Everything new and experienced men to handle the meats
J. B. GAY, Prop.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

East Main Street, Ada. Okla.

Jack Wilson offers the best trade advantages to those wishing to buy or deal in second hand huggies 303 4t

Walter Donaghey left this afternoon for Des Moines Ia where he will enter college

Ladies Woolen and wash suits to match the new hats on display this week at the **GRAND LEADER**

Mrs Lula Hutchinson of Nashville Ark came in this morning for a visit with her parents Mr and Mrs M B Donaghey

Mrs W A Guest who has been the guest of relatives for several days returned to her home in Stonewall this morning

Money to loan and wanted for loans on well improved farms Claude Seales Real Estate Loans and Insurance Farmers State Bank 4t

Mrs Florence Harris state supervisor of the Royal Neighbors who has been in Ada for a few days returned to her home in Muskogee this morning

Just received a new line of little boys linen wash suits in white and all colors ages 12 with knickerbocker pants

GRAND LEADER

Music at First Methodist church Sunday night Prof and Mrs Carl Keifer will sing with the choir and will also give several special selections. Come and bring your friends

Many Ada ladies attended the Model Millinery opening today. The good taste of the trimmer Miss Ellison was displayed in the number of beautiful designs shown

See the O B Weaver Insurance Agency for Tornado insurance rates \$250 for \$1000 and \$125 for \$500 insurance. The season of storms is approaching

Hubert Wilson is second in a contest of Saturday evening Post agents for a Shetland Pony and cart. Help him to win by taking the Post for a few weeks. Phone 36 304 3t

Reasons for why I resigned from Byrd hotel as chef. Because I was furnished with unexperienced help I will be found at Chapman hotel where I will enter to please the wants of my patrons

DOLPH LOVE

General Revenue Bill Approved.
Guthrie Ok March 17—Gov Haswell today approved the general revenue bill which makes taxes due in October of each year. Taxes are due annually while heretofore it was semi annually

Notice to Masons
All members of Ada lodge No 119 are called to meet at lodge room Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Urgent communication of Ada lodge No 119. Very important business to transact.
TOM D MCKDOWN W M
D W Swiffer S E S 4td

FOUND

On display and exhibition at the Harris drug store a complete and successful kitchen cabinet. The ladies of Ada are cordially invited to call and see the Success Kitchen Cabinet any day this week. Hours 8 a m to 9 p m at Harris drug store

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office

My Business is to Work
What have you that you want done?
I will build your house barns, outhouses, fences and grade your yard, repair your screens, doors, windows, etc. Will furnish plans upon request
Herman Miller Phone 76

THE Ada National Bank

wishes to call your attention to two

FACTS

It has been under ONE continuous MANAGEMENT since the organization. Now in its NINTH year. The BANK that has helped to build ADA and assisted more FARMERS than any institution in—

Pontotoc County



"The Parisian"

HAS YOUR HAT

COME AND SEE
MARCH 18, 19, 20

Miss Lessel
Cox-Greer-McDonald Co.

LOOKS LIKE A HUNG JURY IN FAMOUS GOOPER CASE

ATTORNEY GENERAL MCCAIN IS THE ONLY LAWYER THAT EXPECTS AN AGREEMENT BY JURY

Nashville Tenn March 17—With indications that the jury at a late hour tonight is still far from an agreement the opinion is prevalent that a mistrial will be the termination of the famous case against Colonel D B and Robin J Cooper and John D Sharp for the slaying of former United States Senator J W Cumback

Judge Hart evidently does not expect an early verdict for at 4 p m he adjourned court and started for his country home. Asked if he would return to receive a verdict during the night he said I will not if they reach a verdict it will be just as good in the morning. I don't believe in midnight verdicts

Judge Hart began his charge to the jury at 9 30 a m and finished at 11 45 at which time the twelve men retired to deliberate. The type written charge of 62 pages about 400 words to the page was handed to Juror Hyde and according to cus-

tom in this county this makes him the foreman

Judge Hart has declared his intention of holding the jury together for a week or two if necessary to get a verdict. The costs in the case have been enormous and it is realized that a second jury to try the case next could be secured in this county

Attorney General McCain looks for a verdict

Spring Opening

The Grand Leader under the management of Messrs. Katz & Rosenfield is now conducting its annual spring opening of the millinery emporium is one of the leading features. But the entire dress goods department is replete with fashion's latest fads. The clothing and gent's furnishing department is just as elaborate and the many visitors to this popular establishment cannot fail to be attracted by the arrangement of the stock and the courteous and congenial treatment they receive at the hands of the management

The Daily News covers the city thoroughly. Try a want ad through its columns. Price 1 cent a word for 1st insertion and one-half cent a word each subsequent insertion

WANTS.

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates
One insertion per word 1c
Additional insertions per word 1-2c

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished room apply at News office 301-tf

LOST.

LOST—Lady's gold watch between Johnson and postoffice on Main St on Tuesday evening. Return to News office and receive suitable reward dfr

WANTED.

WANTED—Three room house furnished or rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to Claude Seales Farmers State Bank 3t

WANTED—At cement plant to buy large heavy mules 304 3td

WANTED—To loan and wanted for loans on well improved farms Claude Seales real estate loans and insurance Farmers State Bank 4t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—On account of failing eyesight I offer to sell my plumbing business at cost and carriage 3td E P WEIGS

KING OF ALL THROAT & LUNG REMEDIES

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

QUICKEST, SAFEST, SUREST
COUGH AND COLD CURE

AND HEALER OF ALL DISEASES OF LUNGS, THROAT AND CHEST

CURED BY HALF A BOTTLE
Half a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me of the worst cold and cough I ever had.—J. R. Pitt, Rocky Mount, N. C.

PRICE 50c AND 81.00

G. M. RAMSEY

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY

Notice.
Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday March 23 1909 the Board of Education of the City of Ada State of Oklahoma will proceed before the district Court in and for Pontotoc County Oklahoma to make a showing and ask the Court to hear and determine the amount of the outstanding legal indebtedness of said Board and to sign the bonds to be issued in payment of the same at which hearing any person interested may demonstrate against the issuance of the same
By order of the Board of Education of the City of Ada State of Oklahoma March 10 1909
W C DUNCAN
Clerk of said Board
298 10c-d

THROWING MONEY AWAY
is economy compared with buying some real estate. You need to use judgment in buying real estate to get the best returns. You need expert advice. On our lists you will find the most desirable real estate in Ada. We are ready to give you the benefit of our experience in making a choice



Let Us Show You Hardin & Blanks
Office Ada National Bank Building

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office

WHY? are you living in a city of the first class without enjoying first class conveniences? Coal oil lamps were better than the tallow candles our fore-fathers used, but, if you wish to be up-to-date, you will have to put away the old lamps and use

Electricity

It is safer, more convenient, matchless, no smoke, no soot, no smell.

It may cost less than you think. Just ask us questions and let us tell you about it

Ada Electric & Gas. Co.
S. Broadway ADA, OKLA. Phone 78

SOME REASONS WHY IT PAYS

THE FARMER TO HAVE A TELEPHONE

The dollars saved keeping in touch with the markets will pay the price many fold

In case of an emergency when a doctor or neighbor is needed life or property may be saved

The telephone has done away with the old time isolation that handicapped social life in the country and drove young people to the city

It is then a saver of life money and property and is a pleasure to all the family. For information regarding rates and manner of securing the service consult with your nearest local manager

PIONEER TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Pneumonia is Prevailing

Throughout the country Be wise—Stop that cough in time. We have the completest line for cough syrups in the city. They are guaranteed.

Harris Drug Store
Successors to Mason Drug Co

WATCH

THIS SPACE

For the Next Show

Ada

Opera House



IT IS 150 years since Col. George Washington, a brilliant young officer in the colonial army, led to the altar Martha Custis, a young matron whose fame for beauty and charm and wit had made her the pride of Kent and all the country around about in his majesty's prosperous colony of Virginia.

The events which led up to the marriage of the father of his country and the widow were not so full of that dignity and severity of action with which it has become the custom of the American people to surround the first president. In fact there were features in them that tended to show that Washington at 27 had much of the dash and dare and romance of the time in him.

Positive proof there is that upon the very first occasion of his meeting with Mrs. Custis the young colonel was led from the path of duty, as

the invited guests, including the governor, the members of the legislature, gaudily uniformed officers of the British army and all the distinguished people of the colony, assembled at St. Peter's church, near the home of the bride, and were ushered in by Bishop, the big negro body-guard, in a gorgeous scarlet uniform.

Washington was clad in all the finery that was affected by the

set out by chariot on the long journey to Mt. Vernon. The coach and six were again brought into service with postillions and outriders and the journey was made by easy stages, with many stops by the wayside, during which visits were made with various friends.

In the due course of time the future home of the young people was reached and they settled down to the routine of country genteel people in the stately

which he had long before outlined in some of the few verses he has ever been accredited with having written and which appear in an old copy book in his own hand. They are here given:

These are the things which once possessed
Will make a life that's truly blessed,
A good estate on healthy soil
Not got by vice nor yet by toil;
Round a warm fire a pleasant joke,
With chimney ever free from smoke;
A strength entire, a sparkling bowl,
A quiet wife, a quiet soul,
A mind as well as a body whole.

Prudent sympathy, constant friends,
A diet which no art commends;
A merry night without much drinking,
A happy thought without much thinking,
Each night by quiet sleep made short,
A will to be but what thou art,
Possessed of these all else defy,
And neither wish nor fear to die.



a bearer of messages from the field of war to the capital, by the blandishments of the future mistress of Mt. Vernon.

Washington at this particular time, and probably through the influence of his fiancée, decided to retire from the army and settle down on his farm on the Potomac and incidentally enter politics. Upon the force of this declaration he was chosen a member of the colony's house of burgesses while he was yet in the field, for he was retained there until the end of 1758 and his wedding was accordingly greatly delayed.

There is little of the correspondence that passed between Martha Custis and George Washington in existence, for the very good reason that it was all burned by the lady after the death of her spouse, she holding that it was sacred between them and should never be made public. One letter is found, however, that may evince something of the spirit of Washington in writing to his future wife, it being somewhat of a model in its way, yet less loquacious than might have been expected. He wrote her on July 2, after they had become engaged, as follows:

"We have begun our march for Ohio. A courier is starting for Williamsburg and I embrace the opportunity to send a few words to one whose life is now inseparable from mine. Since that happy hour when we made our pledges to each other my thoughts have been constantly going to you as another self. That an all-powerful Providence may keep us both in safety is the prayer of your ever affectionate and faithful friend."

Contrasting quite forcefully with this letter is one written two months later from the field also, but to Mrs. George William Fairfax, the wife of a family friend, but despite this the object of probably the only infatuation that Washington ever had. He says in part:

"Tis true I profess myself a votary of love. I acknowledge that a lady is in the case and further I confess that this lady is known to you. Yes, madam, as well as she is to one who is too sensible of her charms to deny the power, whose influence he feels and must ever submit to. I feel the force of her amiable beauties in the recollection of a thousand tender passages that I could be wise to obliterate, till I am bid to revive them."

"You have drawn me, dear madam, or rather I have drawn myself, into an honest confession of a simple fact. Misconduct no, my meaning, doubt it not or expose it. The world has no business to know the object of my love, declared in this manner to you, when I war you to conceal it. But adieu to this till happier times, if I ever shall see them. The hours at present are melancholy and dull. I dare to believe you are as happy as you say. I wish I was happy also."

This letter was found in the effects of Mrs. Fairfax, who died in England at the ripe old age of 82. It is taken to reveal a sadness in the life of the first president and an unrequited love—or by some it is taken as an evidence that he was something of a gay Lothario, who might say many things to a fair lady and not mean them.

There was nothing of sadness about Col. Washington when, at the holiday session of 1758, he returned to Williamsburg and preparations were made for the wedding so long delayed. On January 6, 1759, the day was clear and cold, when

young bloods of the time. His suit was of blue cloth. The coat showed a rich lining of red silk and boasted many silver ornaments. A white satin waistcoat, gold knee buckles and powdered hair completed his costume.

The bride wore a huge white satin petticoat quilted and pleated beyond belief. Her heavily corded white silk overdress was the richest that the colony had ever known. Diamonds blazed from her hands and braids of pearls hung from her patrician neck.

Bridesmaids and groomsmen were correspondingly arrayed in the height of the latest fashion that was brought over from the English court by fine gentlemen and ladies, who not infrequently were coming to America then, and by colonial gentlemen who often accompanied their precious cargoes of tobacco to the mother country and bought with the proceeds the richest raiment.

After the Rev. John Mossum had performed the ceremony that united the pair the gay cavalcade formed that was to wind its way back to the "white house," where the feasting and merrymaking was to take place. The newly-made Mrs. Martha Washington and her three bridesmaids were placed by gallant hands in the finest chariot in Virginia, drawn by six white horses. These were driven by postillions in livery, each man driving a span, one of which he rode. When with much clanking and jingling of bells the procession started, the groom and all his assistants and the gay company sprang to saddle and formed the escort with outriders and followers and gallants vying with one another for position by the carriage door.

The week of gayety that followed culminated with a visit to the house of burgesses, then in session in Williamsburg, and a member of which Col. Washington had recently been chosen. The young officer was quite the hero of the hour, for he had returned from the wars laden with honors and his personal social conquests had been climaxed by his marriage with Mrs. Custis, whose popularity was widespread. But on the visit to the house of burgesses the young officer was entirely put to rout and overcome by his great modesty.

With Col. Washington, his bride and the entire party occupying seats of honor in the legislative chamber, the speaker, Mr. Robinson, arose and presented a note framed by the house expressing the appreciation of that body of Col. Washington's services in the warmest of terms. The speaker grew grandiloquent in his praise of the young officer and bridegroom, and when he had closed his remarks Washington arose to respond. He was greeted by storms of applause and became so confused that when he was given an opportunity to express his appreciation he could but stammer unintelligibly and find no words in which to express himself. The speaker came to his relief and closed the incident by saying:

"Sit down, Mr. Washington, your modesty equals your valor and that surpasses the power of any language I possess."

After the wedding Washington remained for three months at the "White House" on his wife's estate, and thence accompanied by her



mansion by the Potomac, which has since become historic.

Washington was a man of wealth already in his own name, for he had acquired much land in his mapping and surveying of the country, and the estates on the Potomac were in themselves valuable and yielded annually handsome returns in tobacco.

Col. Daniel Parke Custis, the first husband of Mrs. Washington, had been a son of the king's counselor and a man of wealth. Upon his death he had left to his wife and two children his landed estates and \$46,000 in cash. This latter was in itself a stupendous fortune at that time, when money had a purchasing power many times as great as at present. Two-thirds of it was held in trust for the children, but sufficient of it went direct to Washington to make him one of the wealthiest men in America at that time.

The even tenor of the life of quiet which filled the next 17 years at Mount Vernon is shown in the frequent passages in the diary that Washington kept, beginning with the new year following his marriage. In all that grace and hospitality of those days Martha excelled and they said in Virginia there was no place like Washington's as a social center. There were almost always to be found as guests the Fairfaxes, the Lees, the Custises, the Fitzhughs and others whose names live, not only in the records of those days, but also to-day as typical of the old aristocracy of the colony.

Washington in his diary on the first anniversary of his wedding fails to recall any particular significance of the day, as he says:

"The chariot not returning in time from Col. Fairfax's we were prevented from church. Mrs. Washington was a good deal better today (she had the measles), but the oysterman, still continuing his disorderly behavior at my landing, I was obliged in the most peremptory manner to order him and his company away, which he did not incline to obey until the following morning."

A little later he writes, wrapped up in domestic affairs:

"Got a little butter from Mr. Dalton and wrote to Col. West for pork." And again: "Visited at Belvoir a day, carrying Dr. Craik with us, who spent the evening there." Later: "Killed 17 more hogs, which were bought by Mr. French." "Visited my plantation, severely reprimanding young Stephen for his indolence and his father for suffering it."

On the whole "Squire Washington and his bride after their wedding dropped into that form of life which most appealed to him and

From this home on the Potomac and from his wife's side Washington was called to become commander-in-chief of the American army in the revolution; to this home he returned when the struggle was won; and from this home he was again called as the first president of the United States. Again he returned to this peaceful spot, forever apart from public life, to pass the few remaining years in happiness with his wife, never to leave it until death beckoned him away.

And from this home on the Potomac, where an obscure grave held the remains of the greatest man of his time, from amid the scenes of her happiest days, of days of honeymooning and days of strife, the spirit of Martha Washington was called.

Washington with the colonial army was campaigning in the far west fighting the Indians and the French, and in a lull in the fighting he made a dash for the capital at Williamsburg. When within a few hours' ride of that town he met casually Maj. William Chamberlayne, an old time comrade-at-arms and bosom friend. The major urged that the colonel "in aside, as dark was approaching, and spend the night with him."

Maj. Chamberlayne insisted and as a final inducement said that the most charming widow in all Virginia was visiting at his plantation and that her charms were well worth the delay. With some parley, it is recorded, Washington agreed to turn aside for a brief stop, saying that he would ride later at night.

That night Bishop, Col. Washington's huge and faithful negro body servant, kept the horses saddled and ready for a continuation of the journey through the night and was only occasionally awakened from his nodding by the sounds of revelry from the mansion, for there was a large house party being entertained and the spirit of the vital new country ran high.

Certain it is that the sun was rising when Washington burst from the house, vaulted into his saddle and spurred on to the capital without having closed his eyes in sleep that night.

Certain it is also that no sooner had his business been accomplished than he responded to an invitation sent him from the "White House" on the Pamunky river and that portion of Virginia knew him almost constantly through the months that followed.

Certain it is that when he returned to his command in May, 1758, he did so with the promise of the widow Custis that they should be married and that as promptly as he could be relieved from duty on the frontier.

NEW WAVE MOTOR INVENTED.

If Successful May Operate Government Lighthouses Without Fuel.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Not only national but international interest is being manifested in the demonstration to be made at Atlantic City in a few days of the feasibility of utilizing the limitless force of the sea in the production of power for light, heating and other present day needs.

Inventors have been trying to harness this enormous energy which has been going to waste throughout all the centuries, but they all attacked the problem from the wrong side; that



Wave Motor in Lighthouse.

is, they all made use of plungers, which, by rising and falling with the waves would impart their power to a wheel, but no practicable machine was ever built, and people came to the conclusion that the problem was impossible of solution. But engineers who have tested the wave motors invented by William Snes of Pittsburg, Pa., state that these motors will do the work for which they are intended.

The motor, or rather the revolving portion of the motor, resembles in construction and is in effect a turbine. It is the only turbine wheel ever invented for generating power from wave and tide motion. The motor revolves within a stationary shield, which is equipped with reflectors and guide blades set at such an angle as to harmonize all outside conflicting forces of the water, so that no matter from what direction the water is jetted into the interior the motor always turns in one direction.

Models of various sizes have been made and the experiments have proved such an unqualified success that two 61-ton motors have been installed at the end of Young's pier at Atlantic City, and the power obtained will be utilized to make the pier and beach one great blaze of light.

The wave motor seems to be an amphibious machine, for it works as well on the land as it does in the water. This feature was tested recently at Pittsburg and the motor proved itself to be 20 per cent. more sensitive to the currents of the air than the anemometer, the same principle that harmonizes the conflicting forces of water within the outside wheel harmonizing likewise conflicting forces of wind. Furthermore, in contrast with the fan tail windmill, there need be no fear of destruction or injury, no matter how great the velocity of the wind.

This discovery naturally suggested the idea of using both the wind and wave motors in government lighthouses, the matter was brought to the attention of the government officials and an investigation is being made.

MAY RIVAL YELLOWSTONE PARK.

Wheeler National Monument Set Aside in Honor of Explorers.

Denver, Col.—The creation of the Wheeler National monument by the United States government, made operative by the signature of President Roosevelt a few days since, serves to



Strange Formation in Wheeler National Park.

bring to public notice a great natural attraction which it is believed is destined to rival the Yellowstone National park, the Royal Gorge in the Grand canyon of the Arkansas, and the Natural Bridges of Utah.

The tract included by the proclamation is situated on the south slope and near the summit of the Continental divide at an elevation of approximately 11,500 feet above sea level, about eight miles from Wagon Wheel Gap, Col., a famous hot springs resort of the Rocky mountains. Innumerable columns of pale yellow sandstone, assuming the shapes of castles and domes, as well as countless grotesque figures, present a pinnacled and serrated panoramic view unlike anything else in the geological world.

This new park is to be known as the Wheeler National monument in honor of Lieut. Wheeler, an early explorer in this section. The president derives his authority for this edict under the act of congress approved June 8, 1906, providing for the preservation of American antiquities.

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LEGISLATURE PASSES 206 BILLS

OUT OF THE ENTIRE AMOUNT
ONLY EIGHTY-NINE HAVE SO
FAR BEEN APPROVED BY
THE GOVERNOR.

THE APPROPRIATIONS REACH
\$7,000,000

The Important Measures Awaiting
the Governor's Signature are
These Locating Some of the
Leading State Institutions.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—The Second Oklahoma legislature, adjourning last week, passed a total of 206 bills, 89 of which have been approved by the governor and 117 are awaiting his consideration. Bills that have only local application are vastly in the majority. The appropriations will reach, it is believed, nearly \$7,000,000 and it is expected that in this direction the executive will do much slashing. To date, however, there have been no votes, neither have there been bills becoming laws without his signature.

The Governor has until March 27, or fifteen days after the legislature adjourns, to approve the measures left with him and no bill becomes effective after adjournment unless it is approved. The emergency clause was attached to comparatively few measures.

The following bills making appropriations have been signed by the governor: Two thousand dollars to pay expenses of the state bond issue; \$80,000 to pay account with Kansas state penitentiary for care of prisoners and cover cost of their removal to Oklahoma; \$71.21 for Anna Johnson for work done for Oklahoma Territory; \$4,000 for fire escapes for the state normal schools; \$100,000 for millinery and per diem of legislature; and \$25,000 salaries of officers and employees; \$40,000 with authorization to the board of agriculture to establish county demonstration farms; \$80,000 for erection and maintenance of district agricultural schools in the Third, Fourth and Fifth Supreme Judicial Districts; \$10,050.93 for furniture purchased for state officers; \$14,000 for expenses and per diem of regents of the state institutions; \$86,975.75 for maintenance of the agricultural schools at Warner and Tishomingo; \$80,000 for state school for the deaf at Sulphur; \$20,000 for Panhandle district agricultural school.

Among the local measures that have been approved are those mak-

ing court towns of Coweta, Wagoner county; Davis, Murray county; El Dorado, Jackson county, and Prague, Lincoln county.

Laws of General Nature.

Repealing the County High school law; amending drainage act; permitting the state to offer a reward of \$50 for arrest of horse and mule thieves; fixing time for appeals in misdemeanor cases within sixty days, and criminal cases within six months authorizing religious, charitable and educational institutions to increase the number of their boards of trustees; authorizing domestic building and loan companies to increase their capital stock; penalizing public officers for accepting rebates or interest upon public funds, and appropriating to individual use otherwise known as the "anti-graft" law; permitting the Governor to call special elections upon initiated or referred measures; and for repeal of the statute for removal of obstructions in streams.

Among the positions and boards created the bills approved are: Creating office of supreme court reporter, with salary of \$2,000 per year; creating judicial district of Washington and Osage counties; creating a code commission of five members, eight months' work at \$400 per month each; providing for state examination and registration of trained nurses; and creating a board of examiners; perpetuating the criminal court of appeals; fixing salary of the state bank commissioner at \$2,500 per annum and authorizing appointment of eight assistants at \$1,300 per annum each; and repeal of the law authorizing counties to employ experts to audit the books.

Institutions and Miscellaneous Laws.

Institutions created by the legislature, bills covering which have already been approved, were: State penitentiary at McAlester, \$400,000 appropriation; State Reform school at Granite, \$50,000 appropriation; District Panhandle Agricultural school for the counties of Texas, Cimarron, and Beaver; normal schools at Durant and Tablequah, \$25,000 and \$45,000 appropriations, respectively; reform school between Pauls Valley and Wynnewood, \$45,000.

Among the more important laws signed by the governor were: Amendments to the state banking law; making it a felony to give or sell intoxicating liquor to minors, persons of unsound mind, or habitual drunkards; new fish and game law; amendments to tax ferret law, restricting the operation of the ferret from the date of statehood, and reducing commission to 15 per cent; defining procedure for mortgaging or sale of homestead of insane husband or wife; prohibiting the sale of inherited property by minor children who marry before they reach lawful age; law prohibiting child labor; allowing

\$18,700; for new building and maintenance of State School of Mines at Wilburton, \$248,000; making available to state institutions, from school land leases, \$14,191.83; for maintenance of state university, \$286,810.23; to establish institution for feeble-minded at Enid, \$47,000; new building at Edmond Normal school, \$100,000; deficiency appropriation bill, \$443,838.82 establishing normal school at Ada, \$100,000; for other educational institutions, \$208,820, and \$128,052 (two appropriations); State mining board, \$7,000; state bank commissioner, \$37,400; pure food commission, \$25,000; dairy commission, \$10,000; general appropriation bill, \$340,575; geological survey, \$34,650; state board of agriculture, \$139,000; state library, \$18,512; state board of health, \$83,600; A. and M. college, \$90,000; girl's industrial school, Chickasha, \$100,000; eastern insane asylum at Vinita, \$200,000; insane asylum, Fort Supply, \$352,348; state election board, \$16,330; codifying and revising laws, \$69,000; board of public affairs, \$35,500; colored deaf and blind school, \$8,500; state printing, \$151,960; converting other funds to educational institutions, \$14,191.83; colored A. and M. college, \$5,000; Durant Normal school, \$100,000; Claremore preparatory school, \$65,000; 1907 election, printing and election supplies, \$16,344; and Panhandle storm sufferers, \$10,000.

Special Bills Not Signed.

Authorizing cities to pension meritorious firemen, money to be paid out of fund created by tax on insurance companies; enlarging scope of state examiner and inspector's office; creating office warrant clerk in state treasurer's office creating additional clerical offices in department of state auditor; creating branch of the free employment bureau, to be maintained in eastern part of the state, appropriating \$2,500; providing for eradication of cattle tick; to prevent the waste of oil and gas; providing for additional clerk hire for county treasurers; requiring cotton ginners to report twice a month to the state department of agriculture; authorizing an additional judge for the third judicial district (Muskegon); amendments to the state mining law; authorizing the Oklahoma national guard to lease a tract of land in Lincoln county for encampment purposes, reducing gross production tax on coal from 2 to one-half of 1 per cent; protection of people in sale of fruit trees; prohibiting the wearing of lodge emblems when wearer is not member, or the incorporation of lodges not allied with the grand organizations; authorizing additional judge for the seventh judicial district; permitting organization of insurance companies to insure cotton gins, and permitting organization of hail insurance companies.

Of Interest to Counties.

The following measures of interest to counties are awaiting the Governor's consideration: Authorizing boards of education to construct two or more school houses in a school district; providing for taking census of the state and gathering agricultural statistics; for the construction of bridges by counties; revising the county weigher's law; authorizing counties to purchase toll bridges; authorizing counties to issue bonds for bridge purposes; amending state drainage act; authorizing county commissioners to pay for reconstruction or repair of bridges destroyed by floods; providing for bonding school districts; authorizing counties to pay for holding county farmers' institutes; authorizing cities to condemn for additions to cemeteries; for restoration of county and other public records that have been destroyed; for election of special judges of districts or counties where regular judge is absent or disqualified.

Bills of local interest remaining unsigned: Holding terms of the county court in Hooker, Texas county; Snyder, Kiowa county; Crowder, Pittsburg county; Blanchard, McClain county; Lexington, Cleveland county; Billings, Noble county; legalizing a school district bond issue in Major county; authorizing the Tulsa county commissioners to purchase certain toll bridges; legalizing the Jordan Valley Townsite Company; authorizing the sale of school land to the city of Kingfisher.

Bills of Chief Importance.

Among the more important measures awaiting the governor's approval

al are those locating the institution for the feeble minded at Enid; normal school at Ada; colored deaf, dumb and blind school at Taff; girl's industrial school at Chickasha; Eastern Oklahoma hospital for the insane at Vinita; permanently locating school for the deaf at Sulphur; locating the Eastern University preparatory school at Claremore.

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Kansas Likes Oklahoma.

"Oklahoma is a good state and if I ever leave Kansas it will be the place where I'll locate, but as yet I have no intention of departing from my home here," says J. D. Kotkin of Winfield, Kan., who was defeated for governor on the democratic ticket last fall, when questioned regarding a rumor that he was considering changing his residence. "I like the new state and like the people," he continued, "but this report that I am to enter the political field there is decidedly erroneous. I intend to stay in Kansas as long as the people let me."

No Court Monday.

The legal fraternity and others generally interested were greatly disappointed today when it was learned that Judge West, of the district court, was ill and could not convene the court here Monday. The docket is quite heavy at this time, but there is nothing to indicate just when the court can be called to meet.

Roddie Insurance Bill Signed.

Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—Gov. Haskell today signed the Roddie insurance bill, which carries the emergency clause and is now the law.

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Governor's Daughter to Wed.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Frances Haskell, daughter of Gov. and Mrs. C. N. Haskell, and Major Leslie Gordon Niblack, editor and owner of the Guthrie Daily Leader, which will be celebrated in the executive chambers of the state capital building Wednesday, March 31.

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HASKELL, THE FRIEND OF ADA.

Where it is true that general confidence prevails that Governor Haskell will sign the Ada southern normal bill not only because of the general righteousness of the legislation but as well on account of our governor's substantial reputation for consistency and consistency would prompt the approval for it is known that Governor Haskell has thought out the session been a consistent friend to this city in its normal undertaking. As has before been said, the publication of the governor's statement at the onset of the second legislature that it would be agreeable to him to witness Ada's success and such is a session was received with entire confidence by the Ada people. If possible this confidence was accelerated during and throughout the legislative session for it came to the governor's Ada constituency from time to time that friendliness to this city and support of the desires of the organization of the legislature were maintained with absolute steadfastness.

BANQUET AT PROPER TIME.

It is thought that the determination of the executive officers of the 25000 Club to delay formal action in the preparation of the celebration and banquet proposed in honor of Honorable Rathiff Huddleston and Rod die on account of state normal achievement until after the governor had approved the Ada bill was the proper course for as a matter of course the leading undertaking of the people of this city will be to secure the presence of Governor Haskell and it was the committee's judgment that the nicest amenities would not be observed before the governor should on invitation be extended to him ahead of his approval of the bill notwithstanding the certainty that he would signify his approval of the bill within due and appropriate time.

This city is properly regardless of the improbability of forecasting the governor's action, especially as would obtain in the delivery of himself of an invitation to the banquet and celebration.

Extreme gratification will result if Governor Haskell will come as the chief guest of honor of this city.

A telephone from Governor Haskell today stated that in the consideration of the numerous bills ground out by the legislature during the last days of its session before him his final determination that he was pursuing the plan of awarding first attention to those bills of more general importance and as a whole and as a rule the routine of his scrutiny of the bills would occur in the relation of their passage. The Ada public will appreciate the just and business method of the governor's consideration of the legislation before him for his approval.

Since the Ada bill was among the last passed carrying an appropriation it is thought that the governor will not reach the same for final consideration before the earlier part of next week.

A CONVERSATION WITH YOU.

At any time in the history of your business career whatever that business may be did you ever feel that you had reached a crisis which you could not surmount without a favorable change in the attitude of the public?

And did you ever feel as though your good intentions were misunderstood and your worthy efforts unappreciated and that if things did not begin to come your way pretty soon you would be compelled to retreat to the barracks of despondency?

Of course you have and that's the way the News is feeling just now. There are too many business men in Ada who are not patronizing the News advertising columns for fear that the money invested will not yield an immediate profit from the sale of the specific article advertised.

They forget the value of keeping their name continually before the public and they are often misled by the idea that they are already too well known to be forgotten.

There are few enterprises in Ada which were not suggested by the News before their arrival and there are none to which it has not given every possible aid.

The News is engaged in making a city in which it will be possible for you to increase your business and enhance your exchequer. We have been engaged in this business for five years as a daily publication and those who KNOW will admit that we have done our share.

For this reason if for no other we believe that a liberal patronage of our advertising columns would be a good investment. However this is not our argument for we believe we can show you direct results if you will only give us a chance.

There are very few people left in this world who are not aware of the fact that a daily newspaper is the strongest support that a town can have in a battle for evidence and superiority. Those who are not aware of these things belong to the submerged tenth and will see the News fight the city's battles single handed as a matter of course. The time has arrived when the Progressives

must rally to the support of this paper. The growth of the news must be commensurate with the growth of the city and to make this possible we must have your business. Subscriptions advertising and job printing is our stock in trade and we guarantee to give you value received. Do you belong to the submerged tenth, or are you a progressive? Let us have your answer.

Corporation Commission's Order.

Guthrie Ok March 17—The supreme court has made an order to the corporation commission to certify to the former tribunal the commission's orders placing into effect a number of commodity tariffs from which fourteen Oklahoma railroads have appealed. Under the present rule appeals from the commission's order may be perfected within one year which is a matter the commission desired to have limited to sixty days and had a bill introduced in the legislature to that effect. The bill died on the house calendar. The rates from which the railroads are appealing are on grain and grain products oil and petroleum products cement etc vegetables fruits and canned goods cotton cotton seed and products and hides. The railroads also object to the order requiring wire and mail reports on all accidents.

The Guthrie Fellows

It is hoped that fellow townsman Justice Turpin and chief supreme clerk Campbell and supreme court reporter Parker will come and bring the governor with themselves when they drop down to help Ada celebrate the securing of state normal. It is desired that Swamp bring his bow and uniform.

LITTLE CHATS WITH BUSINESS MEN

- * A Jack-of-all-trades is master of none
- * Never was a greater truth spoke!
- * This is indeed the day of specialization and the man who would know the true meaning of success must first find his one particular line of work and then put into that work every atom of vim energy and enthusiasm which he possesses
- * He must turn neither to right nor left—he must think plan and strive for the greatest possible results in the one line of work
- * To fit from one thing to another—to leave one task unfinished to jump unprepared into another—to enthrone today and grouch tomorrow—to divide your mental work-shop into two departments—one half hurriedly working on the task in hand and the other dreaming of the may bes of tomorrow—this sort of mental attitude can bring but one result—disappointment failure
- * To get the most out of life get the most out of the task in hand—do today's work today!
- * Concentration is the deciding factor—it is the first turn in the combination that unlocks the gate leading to success

The Lured Glow of Doom was seen in the red face hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams of Hennessey, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had for five years defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. But writes his mother: "I gave him seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him. For Eruption Eczema Salt Rheum Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c Guaranteed by G. M. Rumsey."

LODGE DIRECTORY.

Ada Bohemian Lodge No. 146. Meets first third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand Mrs. C. M. Chaucer. Secretary Mrs. Olive Baker.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp No. 568. Woodmen of the World meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Aerie, No. 1740.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 3. I. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton. N. G. C. M. Chaucer. Secretary.

Try an News want ad if you have anything to sell. All kinds of legal blanks for sale at the News office.

Royal Neighbors Entertain.

An entertainment was given last evening at I. O. O. F. hall by the Royal Neighbors of America in honor of State Supervisor, Mrs. Florence Harris of Muskogee. The program consisted of an opening address by Mrs. Harris music by Mrs. Shana felt quartette by Messrs. Wymore Bowman Walters and Guest duet by Mesdames Shanafelt and Ingram solo by Mesdames Shanafelt and Jones and song by Little Miss Pauline Jones.

The Royal Neighbors desire to extend their thanks and express their appreciation to those who so kindly assisted them with the entertainment program.

PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
COUNTY OF PONTOTOC
CITY OF ADA

Whereas much trash and dirt and filth is lying in piles and is strewn about in the alleys streets, and other public places in and of the said City of Ada and

Whereas many unsightly objects have accumulated in the back yards and vacant lots in and over the said city which are dangerous to the health of the general public of said city and

Whereas it is necessary that a general cleaning up be had in the said city before the warm days of summer begin

Therefore We, Geo. A. Harrison mayor of the said City of Ada, Oklahoma and M. W. Ligon city physician and health officer of the said city by the authority vested in us do hereby give notice to all the inhabitants of said city that the 22nd day of March be and the same is hereby set aside for a general cleaning up day that on or before the said date all trash rubbish filth and decayed vegetable and animal matter of whatsoever description must be removed from the alleys and back yards and either burned or carried beyond the city limits and the said back yards etc be put in a good sanitary condition.

Notice is further given that the chief of police and every policeman in the city is hereby ordered and directed to make a thorough investigation on and immediately after the said date and report all persons failing and refusing to clean up their premises and to have such persons prosecuted in the police court.

Let no Man Fail to Observe This Notice. The penalty for the violation hereof will be \$5.00 with cost of suit added. The City must be cleaned up.

Given under our hands at Ada this 17th day of March A. D. 1909.

Geo. A. HARRISON Mayor

M. W. Ligon City Health Officer

First pub March 15—14d

This News Want Ad

Announcements.

The News is directed to announce the following Democratic citizens as candidates for one or the other of the various city elective offices subject to the democratic primary occurring Tuesday April 6th 1909.

- For Mayor—LEW T. LITTLE
- For Police Judge—CHAS. A. POWERS
- GEORGE DAVIDSON
- Chief of Police—GEORGE CULVER
- LBE WEST
- LEW MITCHELL
- For City Clerk—WILBUR B. JONES
- For City Assessor—ANDY H. CHAPMAN
- JACK McMILLAN
- For City Treasurer—ORVILLE SNEAD
- W. C. LEE
- For City Attorney—JAMIE E. WEBB
- For Street Commissioner—J. B. GOTCHER
- J. H. CANTWILL
- C. W. BBSALL

For Treasurer for City Board of Education—W. D. HAYS

For Alderman First Ward—S. E. CHAPMAN

For Alderman Second Ward—TOM HOPE

S. W. HILL

For Alderman Third Ward—GEORGE V. WEST

For Alderman Fourth Ward—L. J. CROWDER

BOARD OF EDUCATION

First Ward—W. C. DUNCAN

Second Ward—J. T. McKEEL

Third Ward—W. H. NETTLES

Fourth Ward—J. L. BARRINGER

Attached Territory—W. S. KERR

C. W. FLOYD

Rexall
"93" HAIR TONIC

Our faith in the superior remedial qualities of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is so strong that we promise to return your money—without question or quibble—if it does not do what we claim it will.

Because it contains Resorcin, Beta Naphthol, Pilocarpin, Borax, Glycerin and Alcohol in perfect combination, Rexall "93" Hair Tonic provides the softening, cleansing, antiseptic, germicidal, stimulating and nourishing properties, so desirable and necessary for the successful treatment of scalp and hair troubles.

If used according to directions for a reasonable length of time, we are absolutely positive that it will thoroughly cleanse the scalp and hair, relieve irritation, eradicate dandruff, stimulate the hair follicles and papilla, revitalize and nourish the hair roots, stop falling hair, prevent baldness, promote hair growth and make the hair naturally soft and silky.

You must realize that we would not dare back up our claims with such a liberal offer unless we were positive that we can substantiate our statements in every particular and the most skeptical person should at least be willing to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic at our risk.

GWIN-MAYS & CO. The Rexall Store

Howard Parker State Reporter.

Guthrie Ok March 17—Howard Parker of Ada was today commissioned as state reporter by Gov. Haskell under the law passed by the legislature just before adjournment. Besides getting out the supreme and criminal court reports it is the duty of the state reporter to supervise the printing of the session laws. Parker has been the reporter for the supreme court. The new place pays \$2,000 a year.

LADIES!

We have our spring and summer goods on display. You are cordially invited to attend our grand millinery opening this week. This is the fashion event of the entire season depicting the correct styles to be worn this spring and summer. It is an occasion of the initial showing of the most beautiful creations of the foremost style designers and every woman should make a mental note of the fact that this is one of the occurrences she must attend. An hour spent here today or tonight will give you a clever idea of the seasons' prettiest styles than could be obtained in any other way and we would have you consider this a personal invitation to attend this style show which includes every thing from the most elaborate ideas to the smart styles designed for dress street and traveling wear.

THE GRAND LEADER
Ada, Okla.

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

LIGON & KING,
Physicians and Surgeons.
Office in First National Bank Bldg.

A. Galbraith Tom D. McKeown
GALBRAITH & McKEOWN
LAWYERS
Over Citizens National Bank
Ada, Ind. Tar

DR. T. H. GRANGER,
DENTIST.
Phone No. 212.
Room 1 and 2, First Nat'l Building

DR. H. T. SAFFARIANS
DENTIST
Office: Conn. Bldg. over Surprise Store Ada Oklahoma
Office Phone 57 Res 242

BROWALL & FAUST
GENERAL PRACTITIONERS
Surgery and Diseases of Women a Specialty
Office: Conn. Bldg. over Surprise Store Phone No. 73

HOME ABSTRACT AND REAL ESTATE COMPANY.
General Abstract Loan and Real Estate Business Fire and Tornado Insurance Southern Surety Company of Oklahoma Office in rear of First National bank

What More Could You Want?

A HOOSIER CABINET contains a sanitary flour bin with sifter attached; a metal self feeding sugar bin; the tea and coffee canisters, the spice cabinet, the want list, the sliding shelves, a big work table covered with genuine aluminum, and oceans of cupboard and drawer room—what more could you want?

ADA FURNITURE & COFFIN CO., ADA, OKLAHOMA.

H. WEST **GEO. A. HARRISON**

Real Estate
Farm Loans, Bonds
Insurance

We Buy, Sell and Rent
Farm and City Property

WEST & HARRISON **South Main Street**

Ingram Paint Co.
Dealers In
High Grade Mixed Paint, Lead and Oil.
A fine assortment of Wall Paper. Let us figure on your contracts for high-class work

FULL LINE OF
STAPLE & FANCY GROCERIES

We buy for cash and sell for cash and divide our profit with our customers

ALDRICH & THOMPSON
Phone 303

PERSONAL COLUMN

Big 10c picture sale at Smith's 7th

Will Allen of Roff, transacted business in Ada today.

Kodaks to sell or rent at Ramsey's.

Prof. T. F. Pierce is visiting the Francis School today.

Quarterly conference at the First Methodist church tonight.

Dr. Wilkinson of Roff, was a business visitor in our city today.

B. F. Frick returned this morning from a business trip to Konawa.

C. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway, phone 279. 272-47

Mrs. Foster Simpson of Konawa is the guest of Mrs. R. W. Simpson.

If you want first class groceries call up M. L. Walsh. Phone 17. 274-d47

Lee Eddleman returned this morning from a business trip to Konawa.

Do not fail to enjoy the music at the First Methodist church next Sunday.

See those big pictures for 10c at Smith's.

Roy Donaghey returned this morning from a business trip to Holdenville.

C. A. Galbraith left this morning for a few days business trip in Muskogee.

M. J. Williams, representing Warder-Bright, printing establishment, of Oklahoma City is in the city today.

Rev. J. B. McDonald who has been attending the Sunday school institute returned to Tulsa. Wednesday afternoon.

The case of B. B. Burwell, which was to have come up for preliminary hearing before Judge Brown today, was postponed until arrival of Judge Bolen, counsel for defendant, who is in Guthrie.

Everyday is opening day at the Westcott Mercantile Co. They have over three hundred shapes in ladies' hats. The millinery department is replete with bargains and if you can't find it at Westcott's it can't be found. West Main, next door to Gwin-Mays. 304-21

TANKS

Well Casing and Flues. We carry a complete line of bath tubs, lavatories, kitchen sinks, etc. We also do sanitary plumbing. All work guaranteed.

Chas. Daggs
Phone 279 N. Broadway

CITY

MEAT MARKET

Daggs Bldg.
WEST MAIN ST.
Phone 55.
This new market will keep FRESH AND FINE
Meat, Hams and Lard
Everything new and experienced men to handle the meats.
J. B. GAY, Prop.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

East Main Street, Ada, Okla.

Jack Wilson offers the best trade advantages to those wishing to buy or deal in second hand buggies. 303-47

Walter Donaghey left this afternoon for Des Moines, Ia., where he will enter college.

Ladies' Woolen and wash suits to match the new hats on display this week at the GRAND LEADER.

Mrs. Lula Hutchinson of Nashville, Ark., came in this morning for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Donaghey.

Mrs. W. A. Guest who has been the guest of relatives for several days returned to her home in Stonewall this morning.

Money to loan and wanted for loans on well improved farms. Claude Seales Real Estate, Loans and Insurance, Farmers' State Bank.

Mrs. Florence Harris, state supervisor of the Royal Neighbors, who has been in Ada for a few days returned to her home in Muskogee this morning.

Just received a new line of little boys linen wash suits in white and all colors, ages 3 to 12 with knickerbocker pants.

GRAND LEADER.

Music at First Methodist church Sunday night. Prof. and Mrs. Carl Ketter will sing with the choir and will also give several special selections. Come and bring your friends.

Many Ada ladies attended the Model Millinery opening today. The good taste of the trimmer, Miss Ellison, was displayed in the number of beautiful designs shown.

See the O. B. Weaver Insurance Agency for Tornado insurance, rates \$2.50 for \$1000 and \$1.25 for \$500 insurance. The season of storms is approaching.

Hubert Wilson is second in a contest of Saturday evening Post agents for a Sutherland Pony and cart. Help him to win by taking the Post for a few weeks. Phone 36. 304-37

Reasons for why I resigned from Byrd hotel as "chef." Because I was furnished with unexperienced help. I will be found at Chapman hotel where I will cater to please the wants of my patrons.

DOLPH LOVE.

Adv—

General Revenue Bill Approved.
Guthrie, Ok., March 17.—Gov. Haskell today approved the general revenue bill, which makes taxes due in October of each year. Taxes are due annually, while heretofore it was semi-annually.

Notice to Masons.

All members of Ada Lodge No. 119 are called to meet at lodge room Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Urgent communication of Ada Lodge No. 119. Very important business to transact.
TOM D. McKEOWN, W. M.
D. W. Swaffer, S. E. S. 304

FOUND

On display and exhibition at the Harris drug store a complete and success kitchen cabinet. The ladies of Ada are cordially invited to call and see the Success Kitchen Cabinet any day this week. Hours 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. at Harris drug store.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

My Business is to Work

What have you that you want done?

I will build your house, barns, outhouses, fences and grade your yard, repair your screens, doors, windows, etc. Will furnish plans upon request.

Herman Miller Phone 76

THE Ada National Bank

wishes to call your attention to two

FACTS

It has been under ONE continuous MANAGEMENT since the organization. Now in its NINTH year. The BANK that has helped to build ADA and assisted more FARMERS than any institution in—

Pontotoc County



"The Parisian"

HAS YOUR HAT

COME AND SEE
MARCH 18, 19, 20

Miss Lessel
Cox-Greer-McDonald Co.

LOOKS LIKE A HUNG JURY IN FAMOUS GOOPER CASE

ATTORNEY GENERAL MCCARN IS THE ONLY LAWYER THAT EXPECTS AN AGREEMENT BY JURY.

Nashville, Tenn., March 17.—With indications that the jury at a late hour tonight is still far from an agreement, the opinion is prevalent that a mistrial will be the termination of the famous case against Colonel D. B. and Robin J. Cooper and John D. Sharp for the slaying of former United States Senator E. W. Carmack.

Judge Hart evidently does not expect an early verdict for 3-4 p. m. he adjourned court and started for his country home. Asked if he would return to receive a verdict during the night, he said: "I will not. If they reach a verdict it will be just as good in the morning. I don't believe in midnight verdicts."

Judge Hart began his charge to the jury at 9:30 a. m., and finished at 11:45 at which time the twelve men retired to deliberate. The typewritten charge of 62 pages, about 400 words to the page, was handed to Juror Hyde and, according to cus-

tom in this county, this makes him the foreman.

Judge Hart has declared his intention of holding the jury together for a week or two if necessary to get a verdict. The costs in the case have been enormous and it is realized that a second jury to try the case never could be secured in this county.

Attorney General McCarn looks for a verdict.

Spring Opening.

The Grand Leader, under the management of Messrs. Katz & Rosenfield is now conducting its annual spring opening. The millinery emporium is one of the leading features, but the entire dress goods department is replete with fashion's latest fads. The clothing and men's furnishing department is just as elaborate, and the many visitors to this popular establishment cannot fail to be attracted by the arrangement of the stock and the courteous and congenial treatment they receive at the hands of the management.

The Daily News covers the city thoroughly. Try a want ad through its columns. Price 1 cent a word for 1st insertion and one-half cent a word each subsequent insertion.

WANTS.

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:

One insertion, per word.....1c
Additional insertions, per word, 1-2c

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, apply at News office. 301-47

LOST.

LOST—Lady's gold watch between Johnson and postoffice on Main St., on Tuesday evening. Return to News office and receive suitable reward. d7f

WANTED.

WANTED—Three room house furnished, or rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to Claude Seales, Farmers' State Bank. 2t

WANTED—At cement plant; to buy large, heavy mules. 304-3td

MONEY—To loan and wanted for loans on well improved farms. Claude Seales, real estate, loans and insurance, Farmers' State Bank. 4t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—On account of failing eyesight, I offer to sell my plumbing business at cost and carriage. 3td
E. P. WEIGS.

KING OF ALL THROAT & LUNG REMEDIES

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY COUGH AND COLD CURE

AND HEALER OF ALL DISEASES OF LUNGS, THROAT AND CHEST

CURED BY HALF A BOTTLE

Half a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me of the worst cold and cough I ever had.—J. E. Pitt, Rocky Mount, N. C.

PRICE 50c

AND \$1.00

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY

G. M. RAMSEY

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, March 23, 1909, the Board of Education of the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, will proceed before the district Court in and for Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, to make a showing and ask the Court to hear and determine the amount of the outstanding legal indebtedness of said Board, and to sign the bonds to be issued in payment of the same, at which hearing any person interested may remonstrate against the issuance of the same.

By order of the Board of Education of the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma.
March 10, 1909.

W. C. DUNCAN,
Clerk of said Board.

288-10t-d

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

THROWING MONEY AWAY

is economy compared with buying some real estate. You need to use judgment in buying real estate to get the best returns. You need expert advice. On our lists you will find the most desirable real estate in Ada. We are ready to give you the benefit of our experience in making a choice.



Let Us Show You Hardin & Blanks

Office Ada National Bank Building.

WHY?

are you living in a city of the first class without enjoying first class conveniences? Coal oil lamps were better than the tallow candles our fore-fathers used, but, if you wish to be up-to-date, you will have to put away the old lamps and use

Electricity

It is safer, more convenient, matchless, no smoke, no soot, no smell.

It may cost less than you think. Just ask us questions and let us tell you about it

Ada Electric & Gas. Co.
S. Broadway ADA, OKLA. Phone 78

SOME REASONS WHY IT PAYS THE FARMER TO HAVE A TELEPHONE

The dollars saved keeping in touch with the markets will pay the price many fold.

In case of an emergency when a doctor or neighbor is needed, life or property may be saved.

The telephone has done away with the old time isolation that handicapped social life in the country and drove young people to the city.

It is then a saver of life, money and property and is a pleasure to all the family. For information regarding rates and manner of securing the service consult with your nearest local manager.

PIONEER TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Pneumonia is Prevailing

Throughout the country. Be wise—Stop that cough in time. We have the completest line of cough syrups in the city. They are guaranteed.

Harris Drug Store
Successors to Mason Drug Co.

WATCH THIS SPACE

For the Next Show

Ada Opera House



IT IS 150 years since Col. George Washington, a brilliant young officer in the colonial army, led to the altar Martha Custis, a young nation whose fame for beauty and charm and wit had made her the pride of Kent and all the country around about in his majesty's prosperous colony of Virginia.

The events which led up to the marriage of the father of his country and the widow were not so full of that dignity and severity of action with which it has become the custom of the American people to surround the first president. In fact there were features in them that tended to show that Washington at 27 had much of the dash and dare and romance of the time in him.

Positive proof there is that upon the very first occasion of his meeting with Mrs. Custis the young colonel was led from the path of duty, as

the invited guests, including the governor, the members of the legislature, gaudily uniformed officers of the British army and all the distinguished people of the colony, assembled at St. Peter's church, near the home of the bride, and were ushered in by Bishop, the big negro body-guard, in a gorgeous scarlet uniform.

Washington was clad in all the finery that was affected by the

set out by chariot on the long journey to Mt. Vernon. The coach and six were again brought into service with postillions and outriders and the journey was made by easy stages, with many stops by the wayside, during which visits were made with various friends.

In the due course of time the future home of the young people was reached and they settled down to the routine of country gentle people in the stately

which he had long before outlined in some of the few verses he has ever been accredited with having written and which appear in an old copy book in his own hand. They are here given:

These are the things which once possessed
Will make a life that's truly blessed,
A good estate on healthy soil
Not got by vice nor yet by toil;
Round a warm fire a pleasant joke,
With chimney ever free from smoke;
A strength entire, a sparkling bowl,
A quiet wife, a quiet soul,
A mind as well as a body whole.

Prudent sympathy, constant friends,
A diet which no art commends;
A merry night without much drinking,
A happy thought without much thinking,
Each night by quiet sleep made short,
A will to be but what thou art,
Possessed of these all else defy,
And neither wish nor fear to die.



a bearer of messages from the field of war to the capital, by the blandishments of the future mistress of Mt. Vernon.

Washington at this particular time, and probably through the influence of his fiancée, decided to retire from the army and settle down on his farm on the Potomac and incidentally enter politics. Upon the force of this declaration he was chosen a member of the colony's house of burgesses while he was yet in the field, for he was retained there until the end of 1758 and his wedding was accordingly greatly delayed.

There is little of the correspondence that passed between Martha Custis and George Washington in existence, for the very good reason that it was all burned by the lady after the death of her spouse, she holding that it was sacred between them and should never be made public. One letter is found, however, that may evince something of the spirit of Washington in writing to his future wife, it being somewhat of a model in its way, yet less loquacious than might have been expected. He wrote her on July 2, after they had become engaged, as follows:

"We have begun our march for Ohio. A courier is starting for Williamsburg and I embrace the opportunity to send a few words to one whose life is now inseparable from mine. Since that happy hour when we made our pledges to each other my thoughts have been constantly going to you as another self. That an all-powerful Providence may keep us both in safety is the prayer of your ever affectionate and faithful friend."

Contrasting quite forcefully with this letter is one written two months later from the field also, but to Mrs. George William Fairfax, the wife of a family friend, but despite this the object of probably the only infatuation that Washington ever had. He says in part:

"Thy true I profess myself a votary of love. I acknowledge that a lady is in the case and further I confess that this lady is known to you. Yes, madam, as well as she is to one who is too sensible of her charms to deny the power, whose influence he feels and must ever submit to. I feel the force of her amiable beauties in the recollection of a thousand tender passages that I could be wise to obliterate, till I am bid to revive them."

"You have drawn me, dear madam, or rather I have drawn myself, into an honest confession of a simple fact. Misconduct no meaning, doubt it not or expose it. The world has no business to know the object of my love, declared in this manner to you, when I war, you to conceal it. But adieu to this till happier times, if I ever shall see them. The hours at present are melancholy and dull. I dare to believe you are as happy as you say. I wish I was happy also."

This letter was found in the effects of Mrs. Fairfax, who died in England at the ripe old age of 82. It is taken to reveal a sadness in the life of the first president and an unrequited love—or by some it is taken as an evidence that he was something of a gay Lothario, who might say many things to a fair lady and not mean them. There was nothing of sadness about Col. Washington when, at the holiday session of 1758, he returned to Williamsburg and preparations were made for the wedding so long delayed. On January 6, 1759, the day was clear and cold, when

young bloods of the time. His suit was of blue cloth. The coat showed a rich lining of red silk and boasted many silver ornaments. A white satin waistcoat, gold knee buckles and powdered hair completed his costume.

The bride wore a huge white satin petticoat quilted and pleated beyond belief. Her heavily corded white silk overdress was the richest that the colony had ever known. Diamonds blazed from her hands and braids of pearls hung from her patrician neck.

Bridesmaids and groomsmen were correspondingly arrayed in the height of the latest fashion that was brought over from the English court by fine gentlemen and ladies, who not infrequently were coming to America then, and by colonial gentlemen who often accompanied their precious cargoes of tobacco to the mother country and bought with the proceeds the richest raiment.

After the Rev. John Mossum had performed the ceremony that united the pair the gay cavalcade formed that was to wind its way back to the "white house," where the feasting and merrymaking was to take place. The newly-made Mrs. Martha Washington and her three bridesmaids were placed by gallant hands in the finest chariot in Virginia, drawn by six white horses. These were driven by postillions in livery, each man driving a span, one of which he rode. When with much clanking and jingling of bells the procession started, the groom and all his assistants and the gay company sprang to saddle and formed the escort with outriders and followers and gallants vying with one another for position by the carriage door.

The week of gaiety that followed culminated with a visit to the house of burgesses, then in session in Williamsburg, and a member of which Col. Washington had recently been chosen. The young officer was quite the hero of the hour, for he had returned from the wars laden with honors and his personal social conquests had been climaxed by his marriage with Mrs. Custis, whose popularity was widespread. But on the visit to the house of burgesses the young officer was entirely put to rout and overcome by his great modesty.

With Col. Washington, his bride and the entire party occupying seats of honor in the legislative chamber, the speaker, Mr. Robinson, arose and presented a note framed by the house expressing the appreciation of that body of Col. Washington's services in the warmest of terms. The speaker grew grandiloquent in his praise of the young officer and bridegroom, and when he had closed his remarks Washington arose to respond. He was greeted by storms of applause and became so confused that when he was given an opportunity to express his appreciation he could but stammer unintelligibly and find no words in which to express himself. The speaker came to his relief and closed the incident by saying:

"Sit down, Mr. Washington, your modesty equals your valor and that surpasses the power of any language I possess."

After the wedding Washington remained for three months at the "White House" on his wife's estates, and thence accompanied by her

mansion by the Potomac, which has since become historic.

Washington was a man of wealth already in his own name, for he had acquired much land in his mapping and surveying of the country, and the estates on the Potomac were in themselves valuable and yielded annually handsome returns in tobacco.

Col. Daniel Parke Custis, the first husband of Mrs. Washington, had been a son of the king's counselor and a man of wealth. Upon his death he had left to his wife and two children his landed estates and £45,000 in cash. This latter was in itself a stupendous fortune at that time, when money had a purchasing power many times as great as at present. Two-thirds of it was held in trust for the children, but sufficient of it went direct to Washington to make him one of the wealthiest men in America at that time.

The even tenor of the life of quiet which filled the next 17 years at Mount Vernon is shown in the frequent passages in the diary that Washington kept, beginning with the new year following his marriage. In all that grace and hospitality of those days Martha excelled and they said in Virginia there was no place like Washington's as a social center. There were almost always to be found as guests the Fairfaxes, the Lees, the Custises, the Fitzhughs and others whose names live, not only in the records of those days, but also to-day as typical of the old aristocracy of the colony.

Washington in his diary on the first anniversary of his wedding fails to recall any particular significance of the day, as he says:

"The chariot not returning in time from Col. Fairfax's we were prevented from church. Mrs. Washington was a good deal better today (she had the measles), but the oysterman, still continuing his disorderly behavior at my landing, I was obliged in the most peremptory manner to order him and his company away, which he did not incline to obey until the following morning."

A little later he writes, wrapped up in domestic affairs:

"Got a little butter from Mr. Dalton and wrote to Col. West for pork." And again: "Visited at Belfour a day, carrying Dr. Craik with us, who spent the evening there." Later: "Killed 17 more hogs, which were bought by Mr. French." "Visited my plantation, severely reprimanding young Stephen for his insolence and his father for suffering it."

On the whole "Squire Washington and his bride after their wedding dropped into that form of life which most appealed to him and



THE COURTSHIP OF WASHINGTON AND MARTHA CUSTIS.

From this home on the Potomac and from his wife's side Washington was called to become commander-in-chief of the American army in the revolution; to this home he returned when the struggle was won; and from this home he was again called as the first president of the United States. Again he returned to this peaceful spot, forever apart from public life, to pass the few remaining years in happiness with his wife, never to leave it until death beckoned him away.

And from this home on the Potomac, where an obscure grave held the remains of the greatest man of his time, from amid the scenes of her happiest days, of days of honeymooning and days of strife, the spirit of Martha Washington was called.

Washington with the colonial army was campaigning in the far west fighting the Indians and the French, and in a lull in the fighting he made a dash for the capital at Williamsburg. When within a few hours' ride of that town he met casually Maj. William Chamberlayne, an old time comrade-at-arms and bosom friend. The major urged that the colonel "sit aside, as dark was approaching, and spend the night with him."

Maj. Chamberlayne insisted and as a final inducement said that the most charming widow in all Virginia was visiting at his plantation and that her charms were well worth the delay. With some parody, it is recorded, Washington agreed to turn aside for a brief stop, saying that he would ride later at night.

That night Bishop, Col. Washington's huge and faithful negro body servant, kept the horses saddled and ready for a continuation of the journey through the night and was only occasionally awakened from his nodding by the sounds of revelry from the mansion, for there was a large house party being entertained and the spirit of the vital new country ran high.

Certain it is that the sun was rising when Washington burst from the house, vaulted into his saddle and spurred on to the capital without having closed his eyes in sleep that night.

Certain it is also that no sooner had his business been accomplished than he responded to an invitation sent him from the "White House" on the Pamunky river and that portion of Virginia knew him almost constantly through the months that followed.

Certain it is that when he returned to his command in May, 1768, he did so with the promise of the widow Custis that they should be married and that as promptly as he could be relieved from duty on the frontier.

NEW WAVE MOTOR INVENTED.

If Successful May Operate Government Lighthouses Without Fuel.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Not only national but international interest is being manifested in the demonstration to be made at Atlantic City in a few days of the feasibility of utilizing the limitless force of the sea in the production of power for light, heating and other present day needs.

Inventors have been trying to harness this enormous energy which has been going to waste throughout all the centuries, but they all attacked the problem from the wrong side; that



Wave Motor in Lighthouse.

is, they all made use of plungers, which, by rising and falling with the waves would impart their power to a wheel, but no practicable machine was ever built, and people came to the conclusion that the problem was impossible of solution. But engineers who have tested the wave motors invented by William Snee of Pittsburg, Pa., state that these motors will do the work for which they are intended.

The motor, or rather the revolving portion of the motor, resembles in construction and is in effect a turbine. It is the only turbine wheel ever invented for generating power from wave and tide motion. The motor revolves within a stationary shield, which is equipped with reflectors and guide blades set at such an angle as to harmonize all outside conflicting forces of the water, so that no matter from what direction the water is jetted into the interior the motor always turns in one direction.

Models of various sizes have been made and the experiments have proved such an unqualified success that two 61-ton motors have been installed at the end of Young's pier at Atlantic City, and the power obtained will be utilized to make the pier and beach one great blaze of light.

The wave motor seems to be an amphibious machine, for it works as well on the land as it does in the water. This feature was tested recently at Pittsburg and the motor proved itself to be 20 per cent. more sensitive to the currents of the air than the anemometer, the same principle that harmonizes the conflicting forces of water within the outside wheel harmonizing likewise conflicting forces of wind. Furthermore, in contrast with the fan tail windmill, there need be no fear of destruction or injury, no matter how great the velocity of the wind.

This discovery naturally suggested the idea of using both the wind and wave motors in government lighthouses, the matter was brought to the attention of the government officials and an investigation is being made.

MAY RIVAL YELLOWSTONE PARK.

Wheeler National Monument Set Aside in Honor of Explorer.

Denver, Col.—The creation of the Wheeler National monument by the United States government, made operative by the signature of President Roosevelt a few days since, serves to



Strange Formation in Wheeler National Park.

bring to public notice a great natural attraction which it is believed is destined to rival the Yellowstone National park, the Royal Gorge in the Grand canyon of the Arkansas, and the Natural Bridges of Utah.

The tract included by the proclamation is situated on the south slope and near the summit of the Continental divide at an elevation of approximately 11,500 feet above sea level, about eight miles from Wagon Wheel Gap, Col., a famous hot springs resort of the Rocky mountains. Innumerable columns of pale yellow sandstone, assuming the shapes of castles and domes, as well as countless grotesque figures, present a pinnacled and serrated panorama of view unlike anything else in the geological world.

This new park is to be known as the Wheeler National monument in honor of Lieut. Wheeler, an early explorer in this section. The president derives his authority for this edict under the act of congress approved June 3, 1906, providing for the preservation of American antiquities.